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INGHAM—In loving memory of Second Lieutenant Claude Ingham, killed in action 19th November, 1916. May he rest in peace.

ROBERTS—Second Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of my dear son, Percy Roberts (our Percy), late G.P.O., and 13 Fleet st., Dublin, who died from influenza, while home on leave from France, at Belmont rd. Military Hospital, Liverpool, 19th November, 1918, aged 20 years. R.I.P. Fortified by the rites of the Holy Church. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Immaculate Heart of Mary, intercede for him. Inserted by his sorrowing mother, brother, and sister.

BIRTH.

KERR—November 15, 1920, at 39 Rathmines rd., to Mr. and Mrs. David Kerr, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BAINES and O'SULLIVAN—November 16, 1920, at St. Michael's Church, Blackrock, Cork, by the Rev. Canon Barratt, Leonard, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baines, of Streatham and New Burlington st., London, to Aileen, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. P. T. O'Sullivan, of South Mall and "Feltrim," Cork.

CLIBBORN and EVANS—November 15, 1920, at St. Cuthbert's Church, Philbeach Gardens, Earl's Court, by the Rev. J. H. C. Twisiday, Henry Cooper, elder son of William Cooper Clibborn and Mrs. Clibborn, Moate View, Moate, Co. Westmeath, to Frances Augusta, elder daughter of Griffith Austin Evans and Mrs. Evans, 19 Longridge rd., Earl's Court, South Kensington.

DEATHS.

BREWSTER—November 15, 1920, suddenly, Dublin, J. C. Brewster, son of late James Brewster, Tralee.

COLMAN—November 17, 1920, at his residence, 55 Mountjoy square, Philip, third eldest son of J. R. Colman. Deeply regretted by his wife, aunt, brothers, and sister, and large circle of friends. Funeral, 9 o'clock, to-morrow (Saturday) morning, Dean's Grange, from above. American papers please copy.

GAVIN—November 18, 1920, at his residence, 458 N.C. rd., Thomas Gavin, aged 82 years. R.I.P.

HANLEY—November 17, 1920, at Drumcondra Hospital, Fredrick Hanley (late Eason's). Funeral to-morrow (Saturday), 10 a.m., to St. George's Cemetery.

HARFORD—November 18, 1920, at her residence, the Hotel, Moate, Bridget Harford. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday), 2 p.m., to Horseleap.

KEARNEY—November 18, 1920, at her residence, 42 Northumberland av., Kingstown, Mrs. Ellen Kearney. Deeply regretted by sorrowing family. Funeral private.

LAMB—November 17, 1920, at Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Sarah Maria, widow of S. Douglas Lamb, formerly of Bessbrook. Funeral Temple Hill Cemetery to-morrow (Saturday), 10.30 a.m.

MOLONY—November 18, 1920, at Kingstown, Mary Frances Molony, only surviving daughter of the late George A. Molony, Resident Magistrate. Funeral, at 10 a.m., to-morrow (Saturday) to Kilternan Church.

MOXHAM—November 16, 1920, at 71 Talbot st., Mrs. Emily Moxham, daughter of late William Henry Orme, Liverpool.

NEALE—November 17, 1920, John Theobald, second son of the late Leeson Neale, Crettyard House, Carlow. Funeral to-day (Friday), 1 p.m.

O'NEILL—November 18, 1920, at his residence, 56 South Circular rd., Kilmainham, Constantine O'Neill, late Inland Revenue, elder son of the late John O'Neill, Monasterevan, and dearly-loved husband of Lizzie O'Neill. Funeral private.

SMITH—November 18, 1920, at his parents' residence, Church View, Navan, Gerald Stanislaus, aged 4 years, the dearly-beloved child of W. P. and Nano Smith. R.I.P. Funeral this day (Friday), 10 o'clock a.m., from St. Mary's, Navan, to family burial ground, Kilmessan.

IN MEMORIAM.

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HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

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WANTED, ... Wright, ... [illegible]

WANTED, good General as House-maid Waitress. Apply Mrs. Malone, Ram's Arms Hotel, Gorey, Co. Wexford.

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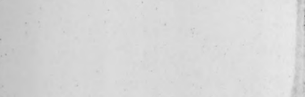

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"THE FOREST OF ARDEN."

A lecture on "The Forest of Arden" was delivered by Mr. A. N. Bonaparte Wyse, M.A., at a meeting of the Dublin branch of the British Empire Shakespeare Society in the Molesworth Hall, last evening. Professor W. F. Trench, LL.D., President of the branch, occupied the chair.

In the course of his lecture Mr. Bonaparte Wyse referred to the position of "As You Like It" in Shakespeare's life and evolution as a dramatist—a tranquil zone reached after early years of struggle, and, perhaps, of disappointment. The subject was of a tragic nature, but was treated serenely and cheerfully; the note of dissatisfaction with life, which was hinted at in the character of Jaques, being suppressed, and the story mellowed to a happy ending. The *motif* of ingratitude was the same as that found in some of the later plays like "Julius Cæsar," "King Lear," and "Macbeth." Mr. Bonaparte Wyse considered that the sudden "conversions" of Duke Frederick and Oliver were untrue to life. There was no contrition on the part of the criminal in the "Tempest," which was more true to life. He drew a contract between the Forest of Arden—nature in sweet aspect—and Prospero's gloomy island, and compared Touchstone's harmlessness with the gloom of Timon of Athens. Jaques, the lecturer construed, as an insipient Hamlet, resembling Richard II., a spectator of the action in, but not of, the play; interested in man, but not of the men he knew, except Touchstone, who interested him as a fool, but not in his relations to the other characters.

At the conclusion of the lecture several readings, recitations, and songs were given.

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Books of the Week.

EX-KING CONSTANTINE.

The spirit of this informing book may be judged from the dedication:—"To the memory of my brother Paul, and of the brave men who gave their lives in the struggle to win back the honour of their country, I dedicate these pages." Major Mélas served ex-King Constantine as his Secretary till about the end of December, 1915, and then felt himself unable any longer to continue in this service. He writes an able account of the attitude of Greece, and tells us much about the share taken by M. Venizelos in shaping events. He draws a faithful likeness of the monarch whom he had served, pointing out *inter alia* that the ex-King never could keep a secret. He distrusted explicitly old advisers and trusted implicitly new advisers. At the same time the author admits that Constantine was always able to recognise a man when he met one. For example, he quite recognised the greatness of General Pau. The General referred in the course of conversation to the German Army, and, like a true soldier, did not underestimate the capabilities of his adversary. "They are very fine troops that we have to contend with," he held. The King was delighted. He repeated what General Pau had said again and again, with some highly eulogistic references to the General himself. "That man is a real soldier," he remarked to Major Mélas, "I was genuinely pleased to meet him."

It is worth while in the light of after events, to draw attention to the fact that Constantine believed firmly that the right way to Constantinople was not through the Dardanelles, but by way of Sofia. This was also the view of the Greek Staff Conference which its members and the King held in February, 1915. There is an account of an interview between the King and Lord Kitchener. Constantine was impressed by him and summed him up as "a very straight man." It appears here and in the official biography that Lord Kitchener disapproved of the Salonica expedition, holding that it was useless or, at all events, too late. Referring to the operations on the Western front, he said that he merely regarded what the British Army was doing as large scale manœuvres for training purposes. The Army was then in process of formation, and it would, he said—in November, 1915—take a good three years to make it a match for the foes with whom it had to contend. With a laugh, Lord Kitchener asked the King whether he thought three years was a long time to ask for, since it had taken Germany forty years to prepare for the war.

The portrait of President Venizelos is drawn with intimate knowledge of the sitter. In the opinion of the author, the outstanding quality of the great Greek statesman is his powers of vision, but he lays stress on the modesty of the man. He was content to work, seldom to rest, and to leave all the honour to the King, satisfying himself with the moral satisfaction that he had tried to do his duty. Father Strickland used to say that one could do a great deal of good in the world if one were content to allow others to receive the credit for it. The plain truth is Venizelos acted in the spirit of this keen *obiter dictum*. Major Mélas gives a characteristic story of the modesty of his hero. In August, 1913, M. Venizelos signed the glorious treaty which so greatly raised the power of Greece. He took care to allow his Sovereign to enter his capital in triumph, while he himself quietly landed on his return at the little town of Chalcis in Euboea.

"Ex-King Constantine and the War." By George M. Mélas, his former Secretary. London: Hutchinson. 12/6.

THE BROTHERS GRENFELL.

Mr. John Buchan has never done better work than in this charming account of two charming men, the Grenfell brothers. In the closing paragraph he applies to Francis Grenfell the words in which Clarendon describes the character of Falkland:—"Thus fell that incomparable young man in the four-and-thirtieth year of his age, having so much despatched the business of life that the oldest rarely attain to that immense knowledge, and the youngest enter not into the world with more innocence. Whosoever leads such a life need not care upon how short a warning it be taken from him." The Grenfell brothers came of a family that has cut its name deep in English history in the past, and the present generation is fit to belong to it. The uncle of the brothers, Field-Marshal Lord Grenfell, pays a graceful and restrained piece of homage to the memory of his two nephews. Soldiering was in their blood. Circumstances compelled "Rivy," as he is called throughout this book, to enter business, and the call for him to the Service did not, therefore, come till the outbreak of war.

Twins are often devoted to each other, but the devotion of these was like that of Saul to Jonathan—it was wonderful, passing the love of women. They exchanged letters almost daily, and in them there is much about the business, more about the Army, and, perhaps, most about polo, for both brothers were players who will not easily be forgotten. Each gives advice to the other, and, singular to relate, the advice is taken with much good-humoured banter. There are many sidelights on the famous men and women whom the brothers met, and the author has been fortunate in the skill with which he welds the lives of the two men into a connected whole.

We meet in these delightful pages Lord Hugh Cecil, for whom "Rivy" has the most unbounded admiration; we meet Mr. A. J. Balfour and many another statesman, though, for the most part, it is only glimpses of them that we attain. We also meet Mrs. Asquith—but it is hard at present not to meet her. "Rivy" writes: "We had a jolly party—Sybil Grey, Miss Brodrick, Paul Phipps, Geoffrey Howard, Douglas Loch, and his new wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Asquith. I asked her how Asquith spent his time, to which she replied by going into the minutest details. She told me he earned £5,000 a year at the Bar (I always thought he earned about £14,000), but he is prohibited by his Parliamentary duties from undertaking certain cases. She told me he lived entirely by rules. He gets up at 8.45, and is at his Chambers or in the Courts by 10.30, and works there till five. He then goes to the House of Commons and stays till eight, when he returns to dinner; he then goes back to the House till twelve. After that, regularly for every day of his life, he reads for two hours. Supposing he goes to a party and does not return till two, he still sits up and reads for two hours, either his briefs or some serious book, and finishes up with a novel in bed. In discussing certain people she told me that Arthur Balfour was not very well educated in the ordinary sense. I wonder what she would say about you and me, F.G.? She would probably compare our brains with an Irishman's whiskey bottle—empty."

Here is another extract when "Rivy" met Mrs. Asquith at Hatfield: "I made great pals with Mrs. Asquith. I do not know if you know her, but she is an absolute clinker. She dressed up as a Spanish dancer, and did a *pas seul* before us all. What will people say in about 20 years when they hear this—the leading lady of the Government dancing a *pas seul* while the Chancellor of the Exchequer looked on?"

"Francis and Riversdale Grenfell: A Memoir." By John Buchan. London: Nelson. 15/-.

A CAREER OF ADVENTURE.

We have borrowed the sub-title of Mr. C. E. Gouldsbury's book as a heading for this review inasmuch as it is an apt and concise indication of the contents. It is a narrative simply told and withal of more than passing interest. Furthermore, it is true. Alexander Douglas Larymore, whose life story is here set forth, is singularly fortunate in his biographer, to whom at various times he related his adventures. He ran away to sea as a stowaway, from his native town of Drogheda, at the age of fourteen, and, having served successively as a cabin boy, seaman, railway guard, and as an officer in the Indian Police, finally attained the rank of Inspector-General of Prisons in India. At an early age—in fact, when still very much in the nursery—he was in the habit of leaving his nurse's side to dodge between the fore and hind legs of every horse that he found standing in the street. A fall into a frozen canal at the age of nine seems to have suggested water as his natural element; at any rate, his decision to go to sea is said to have dated from that event.

It is difficult to pick out any particular episode from a book so wonderfully packed with thrilling experiences. Mr. Larymore certainly has borne a charmed life. He has many amusing anecdotes to tell of life at sea and on shore, and, having been fairly observant, he has much to say on the manners and customs of those nationalities with which he came in contact. India, in the early sixties, was a pleasant place for European officials. Mr. Larymore had scarcely joined the Indian Police (he had the good fortune as a railway guard to do a high Government official a good turn, and thus secured this appointment) when his district superintendent fell ill. Being quite a novice at crime-detecting, and lacking that familiarity with the workings of the Oriental mind which he subsequently acquired, he found his position somewhat difficult. His mistakes were very natural and the telling of them is most refreshing. The description of Anglo-Indian life which runs through the latter two-thirds of the book is good and full of picturesque detail. There are some excellent reproductions from photographs.

"Reminiscences of a Stowaway." By C. E. S. Gouldsbury. London: Chapman and Hall. 15/- net.

GRIMM AND RACKHAM.

Even the most sophisticated must cherish memories of the departed days of childhood, when the world of make-believe was at least as real as the concrete world about us. The doors were opened to us by those gifted authors who have taken countless thousands of children through the magic portals, into the land where dwell for all time the dear people whom we loved and the fearsome characters whom we dreaded, since those sensations were possible to us. Prince and Princess, witch and ogre, good fairies and bad fairies—these are not owe to those who made them live and move for our benefit? Foremost among the names which are household words in every real home stand those of the Brothers Grimm. It has been left to the genius of Mr. Arthur Rackham to provide us with illustrations worthy of the subjects. No more delightful appeal has been made to the imagination of the oldest as well as the youngest of us than by his portrayal of these time-honoured characters. Whence, save from his pen, could be produced so satisfying a witch as she who stands at the doorway of her delectable cottage, receiving the lost "wanderers, Hansel and Grethel? Who else, without hurting our feelings or shattering our pre-conceived ideas, would dare such originality in the treatment of Red Riding Hood and the Wolf? Happy, indeed, will be the child of any age who can boast possession of this volume.

A companion volume to "Hansel and Grethel" is "Snowdrop and Other Tales," also illustrated by Arthur Rackham. Here again the eye is delighted at almost every page by a drawing in black and white or a coloured plate. In his own field Mr. Rackham stands alone. Perhaps, the highest tribute to his originality as well as his execution is the failure of his many imitators to approach either. Tie delicacy and charm of his work are enhanced by a minuteness of detail which, while in no way detracting from the pictorial values, repays the closest study with the continual discovery of some new point for wonder and admiration. His most fantastic conceptions are kept in restraint by a sense of rhythm and a feeling for decorative composition which never falter, and are always completely satisfying to the eye.

"Hansel and Grethel and Other Tales." By the Brothers Grimm. Illustrated by Arthur Rackham. London: Constable. 7/6 net.

"Snowdrop and Other Tales." By the Brothers Grimm. Illustrated by Arthur Rackham. London: Constable. 17/6 net.

IRISH LAND TENURE.

Mr. P. G. Dardis has published in book form a carefully compiled thesis dealing with the occupation of land in Ireland in the first half of the nineteenth century. It won for him the degree of M.A. (in Economics) with honours in the National University of Ireland. The subject has a particular interest at the present time. All parties, of whatever political or religious colour, are agreed on one point—namely, that the present condition of this country is more than lamentable. Whatever be the remedy, it is clear that a study of the past history of Ireland is a necessary preliminary to reform. The root of the evil must be discovered and removed before any permanent result can be attained by remedial legislation. In this book, which is in the nature of a summary of evidence from various sources, the author has set forth, dispassionately and without bias, the relationship of landlord and tenant during the period covered. It is a discouraging tale of unhappiness and misery, of misunderstanding and mistrust, for which the evils of absenteeism were largely responsible.

Mr. Dardis gives credit where credit is due, and occasionally tells of a beneficent and progressive landlord who realised his responsibilities, resided on his property, and to whom a prosperous and contented tenantry looked not in vain for sympathetic co-operation. This thesis shows a firm grasp of the subject and provides a comprehensive, as well as a concise, survey of rural conditions of society in a past age. It should be of value to students of Irish history. The Reverend Thomas A. Finlay has contributed a preface, and there are many references to authorities, should the reader wish for further information on the subject.

"The Occupation of Land in Ireland in the First Half of the Nineteenth Century." By Patrick G. Dardis. Dublin: Maunsel. 7/6 net.

RECENT FICTION

This long Icelandic novel is divided into four books, of which Book III. is by far the best. In it we find the penitent parson trying to expiate a great wrong committed in his past life by prayer, fasting, and good works. It is in this part of the life-history of the family of Borg that the author reaches his highest level. It is simply told, with a nobility of conception and a clarity of expression that are beyond praise. This high level is not maintained in the remainder of the book. It has been, we understand, successfully "filmed"; but whether it was written first as a film story or as a novel is difficult to say. The periods of Orman's career are curiously partitioned and not very convincing. Success bores him, removing the necessity for further effort, and leaving him high and dry without the least pleasure in its attainment. His shouldering of his worthless brother's indiscretion and its consequences is unreal. His abandonment of music after years of training and on the eve of dazzling achievement is melodramatic, if it is not actually stupid. His old father, Orlygur, is of finer mould. As a benevolent despot in a small community he is a complete success. Even in the hour of his failure he defeats his enemies, and his memory lives as a shining example of untarnished honour and rigid virtue.

"Gurst the One-Eyed." By Gunnar Gunnarson. Gyldendal. 8/6 net.

Many problems of the Great War have been exploited by novelists, but this with which Miss Hine now deals is the most familiar. Sabine Fane, a high-spirited girl, fired both by her love for a man unhappily married and by a patriotic pity for the soldier starting out to meet the unknown hazards of battle, insists upon having "one unforgettable month together." Mark Wallance goes to the front, and during his lengthy absence Sabine's child is born and his wife dies. Sabine, reigning at home as a "war-widow" placed in charge of Wallance's estate, now sees the way cleared for honourable happiness, but Mark returns wounded, with his memory gone. Sabine sets herself to win his love anew, but all is not well between them until an operation restores Mark's blotted-out past. Miss Hine treats the dramatic situation with striking ability.

"The Breathless Moment." By Muriel Hine. Lane. 6/6 net.

We do not know whether the author of "The Lost Horizon" is making his first appearance as a novelist, nor can we quite understand the purpose of his story. That he has talent is obvious, and that he possesses a well-stored mind is equally clear. He might have found, however, a worthier subject than a handful of adventurers, with an unlimited supply of audacity and no morals. Every now and then one or other of these gentlemen reels off a page or two of philosophy with the air of a self-satisfied prig. The plot, too, is somewhat involved. The author is enamoured of the unconventional in life and enlarges unduly on primitive instincts as opposed to civilised restraint. His love passages are primeval, and he prefers to call a spade a sanguinary shovel rather than a garden implement.

"The Lost Horizon." By G. Colby Borley. Methuen. 6/6 net.

This is a domestic tragedy. Pauline Cordery, a gifted, sensitive girl, is driven to despair by the selfish neglect and wilful misunderstanding of her husband—a handsome fellow of the conceited average type—and of his devoted mother. The author portrays clearly and temperately the dreary environment in which Pauline's eager young life is stifled—an environment of incessant rainy days, smoky fires, and faultfinding. The book is mainly a character-study of the elder Mrs. Cordery, and serves to show the incalculable harm that may be wrought by a self-centred, jealous, though not vicious, woman.

"The Last Fortnight." By Mary Agnes Hamilton. Collins. 9/- net.

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COMMISSIONER RAILTON. By Eileen Douglas and Mildred Duff. London: The Salvationist Publishing and Supplies, Ltd. 4/-

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MERRY MOMENTS ANNUAL. London: Newnes.

THE ENCHANTED FOREST. By Violet Bradby. London: Milford. 3/6 net.

AMELIA ANNE AND THE GREEN UMBRELLA. By Constance Heward. London: Harrap. 2/6 net.

THE OXFORD ANNUAL FOR SCOUTS. Edited by Herbert Strange. London: Milford. 3/6 net.

HERBERT STRANG'S ANNUAL. London: Milford. 7/6 net.

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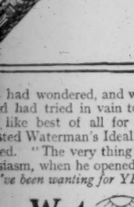

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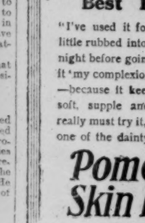

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Meeting of Irish Branch.

A meeting of the Irish Branch Committee was held yesterday at their offices, 110 Grafton street, Dublin. Mr. C. L. Townshend (Chairman) presided, and there were also present:—Messrs. Harry Thrift, Joseph Dodson, Mr. R. H. Maunsell, Mr. William H. Hinde, Mr. E. H. Browne, Mr. J. Gravell, Mr. Harry Franks, Mr. W. A. Cheeke, Mr. J. Salisbury, Mr. Charles Dickinson, Mr. Henry V. Edgeworth, and Mr. R. J. Newcombe, Secretary.

Apologies for absence were received from Messrs. W. G. Beresford, Wesley H. F. Boxwell, Mr. Ellis, R. G. Armstrong, H. D. M. Barton, and Fane Vernon.

A letter was read from the President of the Institution, accepting, on his own behalf, and that of the Secretary, the invitation to a meeting of the Irish Branch, to be held in Dublin on Tuesday, 14th December, and a sub-committee was appointed to carry out the arrangements for the visit.

The question of the completion of land purchase in Ireland was discussed, and it was decided to have a further meeting, when the bill introduced by the Government last week is printed and circulated amongst land agent members of the Institution.

The revised scale of provisional charges for quantity surveyors practising in Ireland, and sanctioned by the Institution, was ordered to be circulated.

The Committee then dealt with questions relating to the claim of Irish professional civil servants in connection with the Government of Ireland Bill, the payment of income tax, etc., and adjourned.

"A HOME IN WALES."—Charged in the Southern Police Court yesterday with having neglected his wife and three children, and disobeyed an order for 30s. weekly maintenance, James Connors told Mr. Saurin, K.C., what he had said when arrested at Pembroke Dock, South Wales—that he intended to go to Wales. He was given until to-day to produce evidence of

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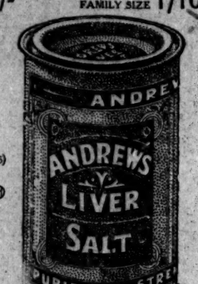

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SPORTING NEWS.

CURRAGH MEETING YESTERDAY.

The weather on the concluding afternoon left a good deal to be desired, and what with a high wind and occasional rain the company, which was of large dimensions, suffered some discomfort. If we except the performance of The O'Donoghue, who was a class above those opposed to him in his race, and the riding of J. Dines, who steered three winners, there was nothing very special about the day's sport, which was ushered in by the Harristown Hurdle Plate, Snipe's Bridge left off a pronounced favourite, but found one too good for him as the weights in Blazing Furze, to whom I confess I knew unworthy an objection was lodged on the grounds of incorrect entry, and the matter remains in abeyance.

The Moanlay Plate fell an easy prey to the two-year-old Shaw's Bridge, who outstayed the opposition very decisively, the favourite, The Widow Malone, who lost some ground at the start, failing to get into the first three. Rocker sustained a fourth reverse when Tuesday was beaten into third place by Police Boy and Mermaid *Est* the Short Plate.

The punters recouped some of their losses in the Apprentices' Plate, for which Mill Belle, by the strength of her second to Gracious Drake at Phœnix Park last Saturday, was served up a hot order, and she duly stretched her field. The good-looking The O'Donoghue, a son of Orby and La Paloma, treated his opponents in the Consolation Plate to merciless finishing, and this colt should mould into a very useful three-year-old. The end came with the Loughbrown Plate, which furnished a rattling finish, Dr. Harvey raising and beating Fusee Volante in the last few strides to win by a neck, while Rosa-Cas was only a head off the second. Details :—

1.0.—HARRISTOWN PLATE of 200 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.

Capt. Maher's b or br. m. BLAZING FURZE, by Moulins—Blake, 4, 10-10 ..... Hegarty 1
Mr. Pard's KNIFE'S BRIDGE, 6, 11-10 T. Burns 2
Mr. Britten's FEUDALISM, 5, 10-5 ..... J. Beary 3
Mr. Simpson's Charles Stuart, 6, 11-10 C. Aylin 0
Mr. B. White's Tramore Boy, 5, 11-10 P. Morgan 0
Mr. H. Barry's Madrigal, 3, 11-0 ..... T. Signott 0
Mr. Hurst's Rathbeir, 4, 11-0 ..... A. Sinnott 0
Col. Knox's Kilcorry, 4, 10-9 ..... J. Maher 0
Sir R. Quin's Le Blanc, 4, 11-0 ..... M'Carthy 0
Mr. B. O'Donnell's Tipp Tivoli, 4, 11-0 ..... Jos. Doyle 0

Mr. Morland's Soothing Glass, 5, 10-10 P. Mullen 0
Mr. O'Driscoll's Kildarra Lass, 5, 10-5 ..... Jos. Carey 0

(Winner trained by Dawson).

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Mr. D. Wallace's b. c. SHAW'S BRIDGE, by Bridge of Earne—Chaleureuse, 3, 7-11 ..... J. Dines 1
Mr. P. W. Shaw's MARIE JEANNE, 3, 7-12 ..... Beary 2
Mr. Kenyon's LOUVOIS LASS, 3, 9-3 ..... T. Oates 3
Mr. R. H. Edwards's The Widow Malone, 3, 9-8 ..... Bennett 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Bagally, 3, 9-8 ..... W. Bagley 0
Mrs. Kirk's Royal Oak, 3, 8-7 ..... M. Wing 0
Mr. J. M'Kenna's Grecian Girl, 3, 7-12 ..... Hanshaw 0

(Winner trained by Rankin.)

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Mr. Bryan's MERMAID, 3, 8-0 ..... Oates 2
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CLONLEIGH (STRABANE) MEETING—YESTERDAY AND TO-DAY.

Judge—Mr. Galligan. Slipper—Mr. J. Gallagher.

BRACELET STAKES—For 14 puppies. Winner £1; second, £7; third and fourth, £2 10s each.

Allies Victorious beat Belfast Waste; Six of Clubs beat Kyora; Glad Neck IV. beat Mourne Prince; The Boss beat Not Out; Mourne Princess beat Monalee Argent; Miss Johnston beat Fear Nothing; Woodend Pride beat Campsie Lass.

FREEMAN CUP.—For 16 dogs. Winner, £20; second, £8; third, £3.

Glenfield beat Full Power II.; Banner County beat Free Trade; Hillside beat Bally Lamon; Liberal Boy beat Game Chick; beat Hidden Lass.

THE DUFFER STAKE.—Winner £12; second, £8. Mr. McDermott's Mum's the Word agst. Mr. O'Donnell's North Tyrone; Mr. Duffy's Cracker Jack agst. Mr. Hamilton's Reid Donovan. Messrs. McNulty's Mullindoit Magnet agst. Mr. Stoddart's Windmill; Dr. Stevenson's Small Trumpet agst. Mr. Hunt's Hare Bell III.

FOOTBALL.

RUGBY

Old Wesley 3rd A v. Lansdowne 3rd A.—Played at Lansdowne road, resulting in a win for Old Wesley 3rd A by 11 points to nil.

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CHESS.

DUBLIN CLUB.

A special general meeting of the Dublin Chess Club, presided over by Sir Horace Plunkett, P.C., was held on Wednesday, at 20 Lincoln place. It was decided to admit ladies as associates, and that the club premises be open to them on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

BILLIARDS.

SMITH v. FALKINER.

A splendid attendance witnessed quite the slowest scoring session of this game of 16,000, at Orme's Saloon, Manchester, yesterday. Resuming to most stylish play, the champion eventually recorded 132, stylish play, the champion eventually recorded 132, following later with 108, 99, 103. Falkiner had breaks of 536 (full), 104, 76, 130. Interval :—Falkiner, 12,625; Smith, 11,775.

Closing scores :—Falkiner, 14,985; Smith, 13,620.

INMAN v. REECE.

As the result of yesterday afternoon's play in this match at Leicester Square, London, Inman made runs of 250, 107, and 72. Reece made leading breaks of 128, 75, 106, and 67. Interval scores :—Inman (rec. 1,000), 12,579; Inman, 11,329.

STEVENSON v. AIKEN.

Play in the fourth heat of the London Tournament was resumed at Burroughes Hall, London, yesterday afternoon, when Stevenson increased his lead to 3,818, scoring 943 (c 94) to Aiken's 415. The leading breaks were 262, 66, and 99 by Stevenson, and 56 and 273 by Aiken. Interval scores :—Stevenson (rec. 800), 12,770; Aiken (rec. 1,600), 8,952.

GOLF.

MALAHIDE.—Men's Monthly Medal—Won by Mr. Thomas Bailey (74—4=70).

HERMIONE LECTURES.

MONTICELLI TO CHAVANNES.

The development of modern French art, said Dr. Tancred Borenius in the third of his Hermione lectures at Alexandra College, Dublin, yesterday, followed broadly two lines: the one, pictures-queness of form and richness of colour and atmosphere; the other, noble simplicity of form, purity and precision of line, and austerity of colour.

One of the most singular and picturesque figures in the history of modern art was Adolphi Monticelli (1824-76), a continuer of the tradition of Watteau, and whose distinction rested on his treatment of colour. He was as fanciful in his art as he was Bohemian in his life. Henri Fantin-Latour (1836-1904) studied under Lecocq, who also trained many notable artists, including Augusta Bodin, in the principles of observation, development, and portrayal, without tending towards soulless production. Latour's comparatively early work embodied the principles of his artistic faith. In his "Homage to Delacour" (1864) were included the chief representatives of his school. In another picture there was the group gathered about Manet, including Renoir, who had recently died, and the still living Monet. (Maurice Denis had carried on the "homage" tradition in his picture of Cezanne.) In Latour's portraits there was a Velasquez-like simplicity and dignity of effect. A self-portrait existed in the Municipal Gallery, Harcourt street. Fantastic subjects from legend were another phase of his work. He was essentially eclectic, deriving inspiration from many sources, but gifted with a genuine artistic feeling. His line was extraordinarily rich, eloquence which, however, produced no very powerful hold on the emotions.

Much more one-sided than Latour was Eugene Carriere (1849-80). His delicate handling was best shown in "Maternity," where the fine modelling seemed enveloped in a hazy effect. He had, however, none of Rembrandt's golden tone, and his phantom-like effects recalled Velasquez's later works. In the art of Gustave Moreau (1856-78) there was a tendency to produce rather melodramatic effects, but at times he achieved an impression of exceeding mysteriousness and splendour. Cazin (1826-1901) was a landscape painter of much power, resembling Corot in softness of tone and delicacy of atmosphere, but with a touch of lassitude and disillusionment which contrasted with Corot's feeling of romantic rapture.

Chavannes' was the embodiment of noble style in decoration principle. At a time when the general trend of the French school was in the direction of picturesque effect or photographic accuracy of accidentals, Chavannes went in for calm, monumental dignity, for selection, simplification, and generalisation. There was little doubt, however, that in his rendering of atmosphere he profited by the example of the impressionists, and if there was a golden aloofness in his art there was nothing

ÆOLIAN MUSICAL SOCIETY'S CONCERT.

"PHAUDRIG CROHOORE."

At the Aberdeen Hall, Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last night, the Æolian Musical Society began a series of choral and vocal concerts. Through all the vicissitudes of this society, the indomitable spirit of Mr. T. H. Weaving (its musical director) has kept it going in many ways, and now, though minus some well-known voices, it has entered upon a new season with some important works in its repertoire. Monna Vanna, de Stasi, in her matter-of-fact criticism of the difference between the German and Italian love of music, instances the German as introducing and building up, step by step, one thought of that last night, and thought, too, of the value of this kind of educational work in the life of the city. Mr. Weaving is a sound musical scholar, almost exceptionally faithful in detail, with a capacity for work, and has—what is more to the purpose here—the power of imbuing his choir with that capacity. Last night the choir went through the programme very creditably. It was not as plastic as it will become, but in "Phaudrig Crohoore" (Stanford) it developed a most promising quality in fitness and feeling, increasing in confidence to an artistic finish. The ballad was given in entirety, and was a wise choice, as its simple, straightforward writing easily lent itself with the venue, made it altogether appropriate. Stanford's "It is not the tear" was also the finest of the Irish melodies given by the ladies' choir, though "The Irish Rose" (Lee) and "Kitty of Coleraine" were of less effort to the choir. The male choir sang Elgar's "After many a dusty mile" and "Simple Simon," and in "Phaudrig Crohoore" easily bore off the honours.

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SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

J. Dines rode three winners at the Curragh yesterday.

In the Winter Plate at the Curragh on Wednesday Forty-three was placed second, not Claret Hall.

Clonree, who is for the present stabled at Aintree racecourse, is intended to join Coulthwaite's string at Hednesford, when there is room for him there.

During an interval of racing at the Curragh yesterday Eager Flight, ch. f. (3 yrs.) by Jaeger—Miss Flighty, was sold to Mr. T. J. Fleming for 155 sovs.

Subsequently to winning the Harristown Hurdle Plate at the Curragh yesterday, Blazing Furze was objected to on the grounds of incorrect entry, and the matter remains in abeyance. As the objection was not lodged until nearly two hours after the horses had passed the post, ready money bets were not affected.

Mr. Mellor, who has so ably filled the position of Postmaster at the Curragh Camp for several years, has been appointed to a similar post in Malton, Yorkshire. The racing correspondents whose business takes them to the Curragh Meetings are indebted to him for the manner in which he facilitated them, especially during the period when the usual telegraphic arrangements were not available at the Grand Stand.

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HOCKEY.

MOATE v. TULLAMORE.

On Wednesday, at the Moate Horse Show Grounds, a match was played between Moate and Tullamore (mixed). Early in the first half Tullamore scored a lead, which they maintained until within a few minutes of the finish, when Moate came with a rush and registered two goals, thus winning by one goal. For Moate, Griffith and Galvin were always conspicuous; whilst for Tullamore Egan and Moorhead maintained a fine defence throughout.

DERBY MEETING—YESTERDAY.

PHARPAR'S VICTORY.

1.0.—ELVASTON CASTLE (5.) PLATE, £200. T.Y.O. 5 f.

Mr. N. Marshall's b. f. HOMILY, by St. Martin—Rhetoric, 8-11 ..... Donoghue 1
Mr. V. Thompson's VELVET GLOVE, 8-9 ..... Leach 2
Mr. E. Dickson's AMPHISTETA C., 8-11 ..... Piper 3

Also ran—Clarissa colt (Prescott), Nevertheless (Collins), Half-a-Crown (W. Balding), Sea Witch filly (Bullock), Cilly (A. Balding), Henri Martin (Clark). (Winner trained by G. Bell.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. HOMILY, 7 to 2 Velvet Glove, 9 to 2 Amphistela colt, 5 to 1 Cilly, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by three-parts of a length; a short head. The winner was bought in for 1,375 gns.

1.50.—FOSTON AUCTION PLATE, £300. 1 m.

Mr. D. Gavin's b. c. AURAMINE, by Jasper—Candy Lass, 4, 9-0 ..... J. Evans 1
Mr. F. Ingram's KAMBULA, 4, 8-5 ..... W. Speck 2
Mr. F. Cridge's HURRY ALONG, 6, 8-5 J. Leach 3

Also ran—Toiseoc (Piper), Bridge of Marne (Tywaiter), Winner trained by Talor.)

Betting—Evens Rambeda, 9 to 4 agst. AURAMINE, 5 to 1 Bridge of Marne, 10 to 1 Harry Along, 20 to 1 Toiseoc.

Won by a length; three lengths.

2.0.—CHATSWORTH 3-Y.O. PLATE (hdcp.). £250. 6 f.

Mr. D. Goodman's br. c. VALENTINE VOX, by Valens—Buckhaisley, 7-9 ..... Garrett 1
Lord Derby's PRINCESS MARGARET, 8-9 ..... Colling 2
Mr. W. Salvin's MARCIA, 8-7 ..... V. Smyth 3

Also ran—Suitcoat (Childs), Tetricus (Bullock), Germinate (B. Jones), Orange Water (C. Andrews), Cully Sark (A. Smyth), Chinalo (Donoghue), Blarney Stone (Topping), Heracles (Robbins), Sky Star (Piper), Red Wings (Fox), Black Domino (Lane), Arlington (H. Jones), Pollimore (Spear), Javadore (Plant), Winter Queen (Wragg), Sunbank (Morgan). (Winner trained by W. Waugh.)

Betting—5 to 1 each agst. VALENTINE VOX and Heracles, 6 to 1 Marcia, 10 to 1 each Red Wings, Cully Sark, and Suitcoat, 100 to 8 each Tetricus and Black Domino, 100 to 6 Princess Margaret, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a head; a length and a half.

2.30.—OSMASTON NURSERY PLATE (hdcp.). £500. 7 f.

Lord D'Abernon's ch. c. PHARPAR, by Llangibby—Donnetta, 8-1 ..... Donoghue 2
Mr. T. Walsh's IRISH EAGLE, 7-11 ..... Speck 2
Mr. W. Dixon's WILD HONEY, 8-6 W. Balding 3

Also ran—Young Visitor (Lane), Staywood (Griggs), Venlecloe (Fox), French Mint (Piper), Little Dorrit (Weston), Holy (Creckmore), Belleguarde (Wragg). (Winner trained by Lambton.)

Betting—11 to 10 on PHARPAR, 6 to 1 agst. Wild Honey, 8 to 1 each Irish Eagle, Venizelos, and Hafa, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by a head; three lengths.

3.0.—ALLESTREE WELTER HDCP. A sweepstakes of £3 each and £3 extra for starters. £250 added. 1 m. 1 f.

Mr. A. Alexander's b. c. FIREWORK, by Prince Palatine—Failing Star, 3, 8-10 ....Strydom 1
Mr. G. Renwick's DAYLIGHT SAVING, 4 7-0 ..... Robertson 2
Mr. P. Nelke's POLICHINELLE, 4 8-2 ..... Donoghue 3

Also ran—Prince Umbria (V. Smyth), Bright News (Bullock), Mountaineer (Childs), Ardavon (Hulme), Mannoun (T. Jones), Sweet Seraphim (Lane), Double Note (Speck), Reyroh (Fox), Ricky (Crickmore), Golden Slate (Wragg). (Winner trained by Sullivan.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Polichinelle, 7 to 2 Mountaineer, 5 to 1 Ardavon, 7 to 1 Prince Umbria, 10 to 1 each FIREWORK, Bright News and Reyroh, 100 to 8 Double Note, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by half a length; three-parts of a length.

3.30—HARDWICKE MAIDEN 3-Y.O. PLATE, £200. 14 m.

Mr. J. Bogue's ch. c. GOLDEN VICTORY, by Corcyra—War Mint, 9-0 ..... Stubbs 1
Lord Furness's SERMENT D'AMOUR, 9-0 ..... Donoghue 2
Mr. S. Dennis's POLYCIRRUS, 9-7 ..... V. Smyth 3

(Winner trained by Drury.)

Betting—18 to 8 on Polycirrus, 7 to 2 agst. Serment D'Amour, 5 to 1 GOLDEN VICTORY.

Won by three-parts of a length; three lengths.

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

12.50—STAINBY (S.) PLATE, £200. 5 f. Age. st. lb.

Montrouil	4	9	0	Light Blue	3	8
C.P.	9	9	0	Fontaine	4	8
Polygram	a	9	0	L'Etalon	4	8
Amasonia	3	8	12	Miss Curious	3	8
Holystone	4	8	10	Caro Mia	3	8
Shepherdess	3	8	9	Helo	3	8
Gamble	3	8	9	Homily	3	7
Husky	3	8	9	Valson	3	7

(The above have arrived.)

Special	5	9	0	War Claim	5	8
Bay	5	9	0	Damaged Goods	4	8
Nachdederne	a	9	0	Marie Rose	4	8
Armageddon	5	8	9	Britomart	5	8
Aldershot	4	8	9	Princess Hunn	6	8
Jameson	3	8	9	Onslow Jarvis	2	7

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THE SICK AND INDIGENT ROOMKEEPERS' SOCIETY
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Will be Delivered by
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TUESDAY, 23rd of NOVEMBER, at 3.30 p.m.
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Luncheons—1-2.30 p.m. Admission—6d.

STEWART INSTITUTION FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN.
An ELECTION will be held on MONDAY, 13th DECEMBER, 1920, for the Admission of Twelve Pupils, from 6 to 16 years of age.
Forms of Application, to be had at the Office, must be filled and lodged with the Secretary on or before 20th November. Voting papers will be issued about 26th November.
In the case of candidates a portion of whose expenses is contributed, credit will be given for additional votes in proportion to the guaranteed annual payments.
Each 10/6 paid annually entitles the subscriber to one vote. A donation of £5 5/- confers a life vote.
All further information can be had from the Secretary, at the Office, 40 Molesworth street, Dublin.

MENDELSSOHN SCHOLARSHIP.
A Scholarship of £100 per annum, subject to yearly renewal, is now vacant.
Candidates of either sex, between the ages of 16 and 25, being single and natives of, or domiciled in, Great Britain or Ireland, are eligible for election.
The qualification is "a decided talent for music, exhibited in composition."
Candidates should apply in writing, enclosing certificates of birth and testimonials, to the Hon. Sec., Mr. J. F. R. Stainer, The Old Rectory, Ashtead, Epsom.
The list of entries will be closed on February 1st, 1921.

IRISH RAILWAY CLEARING HOUSE.
EXAMINATION FOR MALE CLERKSHIPS, 15th OCTOBER, 1920.
The undermentioned Candidates were successful at the Examination for Male Clerkships in this Service, held in the City of Dublin Technical Schools on the 15th October, 1920, and will be appointed on probation as vacancies arise, subject to their passing the medical examination, and being accepted as eligible by the Railway Clearing System Superannuation Fund Corporation for admission to membership of the Fund:—

Francis J. Hurding.	Cyril Alan Foster.
James J. Flynn.	John J. Quinn.
James J. Keane.	Richard Dunne.
Fergus O'Neill.	Andrew J. Riddel.
Harold Victor Scott.	Eugene P. Carroll.
Patrick A. Moran.	Henry C. McGowan.
John Lyons.	Patrick F. Sheerin.
Charles H. Hannan.	James O'Toole.
John McAsey.	Thomas Mullen.
James J. Cunningham.	John F. Doran.
Albert Greee.	William T. Walsh.
Laurence Furlong.	

P. J. BRENNAN, Secretary.
5 Kildare street, Dublin, 19th November, 1920.

CLUBS REGISTRATION ACT (IRELAND), 1904.
Take Notice that I intend to apply for a Renewal of the Certificate of the Limerick Junior Club.
CECIL A. SLADE, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
THOMAS WAKEFIELD RICHARDSON, late of Moralion House, in the County of Down, Esquire, Justice of the Peace, Deceased.
All persons having any claims against the estate of above Deceased are requested to furnish particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors on or before the 30th inst.
Dated this 15th day of November, 1920.
CARLETON, ATKINSON and SLOAN, Solicitors, Portadown.

MISS HELENA GEORGINA MARGARET JANE NEVILLE, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Helena Georgina Margaret Jane Neville, late of The Lodge, Lismore, in the County of Waterford, Spinster, deceased, who died on the 19th day of March, 1920, and probate of whose Will was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, on the 9th day of June, 1920, to Sir Robert Adair Hodson, of Hollybrooke, Bray, in the County of Wicklow, Bart., the sole Executor in said Will named, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said Executor, on or before the 1st day of December, 1920, after which date the Executor will distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have then had notice, and he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claims he shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 28th day of October, 1920.
MOORE, KEILY and LLOYD, 31 Molesworth street, Dublin, Solicitors for the Executor.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
MARGARET HOPE, late of 37 Grove Park, Rathmines, in the County of Dublin, Married Woman, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or effects of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 8th day of August, 1920, are hereby required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1920, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor of Deceased, to whom Probate of the Will of said Deceased was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate) on the 26th day of October, 1920.
And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 15th day of December, 1920, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.
Dated this 11th day of November, 1920.
EDMUND A. KILLINGLEY, Solicitor for the said Executor, 22 St. Andrew street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
SARAH ANNE DOWELL CUMMINS, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of eight days application will be made in the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Ireland for the Sealing of the Probate of the Will of Sarah Ann Dowell Cummins, late of Barbados, Widow, granted by the Court of Ordinary of the Island of Barbados, on the 16th day of April, 1920.
Dated this 16th day of November, 1920.
WM. GUEST LANE and CO., 32 Nassau street, Dublin, Solicitors for Executor and his Attorney.

FINAL NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS AND INCUMBRANCERS.
COURT OF THE IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
LAND PURCHASE ACTS.
Record No. E.C. 6494.
Estate of
EMILY MOORE (Widow), continued in the name of STEPHEN GEORGE MOORE, as successor in title of the said EMILY MOORE, Deceased, County of Wexford.
Take Notice that the Final Schedule of Incumbrances affecting the proceeds of the Sale of Part of the Lands of Clonerin, containing 19a. 0r. 7p., Statute Measure, situate in the Barony of Ballaghkeen, North, and County of Wexford, which has been sold under the above Acts, in Fee-Simple, has been lodged in the Registrar's Office of this Court, at 24 Upper Merrion street, Dublin; and any person having any claim not therein inserted, or objecting thereto, either on account of the amount or the priority of any charge therein reported as due to him or any other person, or for any other reason, is required to lodge an objection thereto, stating the particulars of his demand and duly verified, with the Registrar of this Court, on or before the 13th day of December, 1920, and to appear on the following Thursday, the 15th day of December, 1920, at 11 o'clock, before the Judicial Commissioner, at his Court, at the Four Courts, Dublin, when he will adjudicate upon the several claims appearing on the schedule and upon any objections lodged thereto. And Take Notice that any demand reported by such Schedule is liable to be objected to within the time aforesaid. And further take Notice that I have fixed Wednesday, the 15th day of December, 1920, at my Chamber (No. 54), at 32 Nassau street, Dublin at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the vouching of the several claims appearing on the said Schedule, and all parties interested should attend before me on that day with the necessary proofs to vouch their respective claims, with a view to the fund being distributed on the said 16th day of December, 1920.
Dated the 18th day of November, 1920.
HENRY C. LYNCH, Chief Examiner.
STEPHEN GORDON and SON, Solicitors for Vendor, 15 Molesworth street, Dublin.

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On and from FRIDAY, 19th NOVEMBER, the following additional Passenger Trains will be Discontinued owing to existing conditions:—
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3.30 p.m. Kilkenny to Kildare and Kingsbridge.
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Kingsbridge Station, Dublin, 18th Nov., 1920.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.

To-day....	Morning	5.20	Evening	5.35
To-morrow	"	6.26	"	6.58

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

To-day....	Rises	7.37	Sets	4.24
To-morrow	"	7.38	"	4.22

LIGHTING-UP TIME ...... 5.34 P.M.

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The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1920.

Armed men attacked the aerodrome at Bawnmore, County Limerick, early yesterday morning, and shot one soldier dead and wounded another. The attack was beaten off.—(P. 5.)

Masked men called at the house of James Coleman, a publican in Cork, early yesterday morning, and shot him dead.—(P. 5.)

Patrick Hanley and Eugene O'Connell, labourers, were shot dead in Cork on Wednesday night. Two other men were dangerously wounded.—(P. 5.)

Three arrests have been made in connection with the murder of District Inspector Kelleher at Granard last month.—(P. 5.)

No news has yet been received of Father Griffin, the Galway priest, who has been missing from his house for the past four days. Police patrols are searching in all directions.—(P. 5.)

The police official survey issued by Dublin Castle last night says that the latest reports testify to the improved *moral* of the police and to the breakdown in many districts of the police boycott.—(P. 5.)

The military carried out further searches of houses in Dublin yesterday. Two bank officials are reported to have been arrested.—(P. 5.)

Three District Courts-martial were held yesterday at Marlborough Barracks, Dublin, when persons were charged with being in possession of arms and ammunition.—(P. 6.)

The Irish Council of the National Union of Railwaymen met in Dublin again yesterday, but they had nothing to report last night as to the railway crisis.—(P. 5.)

The annual sale of work done by the patients of the Royal Hospital for Incurables, Donnybrook, was opened yesterday by the Hon. Mrs. F. A. Farrell.—(P. 6.)

Dr. Tancred Borenius delivered the third of his Hermione lectures in the Alexandra College, Dublin, yesterday.—(P. 6.)

M. Venizelos has fled from Greece, where he believed his life was in danger. Ex-King Constantine stated to a correspondent that, if recalled, he would remain loyal to the Allies.—(P. 5.)

Mr. Lloyd George yesterday announced that a draft agreement for the resumption of trade with Russia was in preparation, but would not be put into operation until the Soviet Government had carried out their undertaking in regard to British prisoners.—(P. 5.)

In London yesterday the Stock Markets closed with an uneasy feeling, after heavy selling pressure and rumours of trouble at home and abroad. Loan and discount rates were firm. The price of gold fell to 117s. 2d. per fine ounce. Dublin Market was generally weak, and business small.—(P. 7.)

Butter—and Bread.

Yesterday the National Executive of the Irish Farmers' Union discussed the abnormal position of the export butter trade. The exporters' case is set forth fully in a semi-official statement which we print to-day. They declare that their business has been brought to a stand-still by a combination of bureaucratic and political interference, and they are severely critical of the action of the Department of Agriculture. The Department is bound to take early notice of these serious charges, and until its defence, or explanation, is before the public we shall not attempt to pass judgment on the merits of the dispute. One general observation, however, may be permitted—namely, that the present position of the export butter trade illustrates the risks of even the best-intentioned efforts to upset the normal working of the laws of demand and supply. In this case the Irish Labour Party insisted that the home demand for butter should be satisfied at a reasonable price before the larger needs of the export trade were fulfilled. The Department of Agriculture fell in with the party's views, and decreed that the manufacturers must build up a large reserve for the benefit of Irish retailers before they could obtain licences for export. The manufacturers declare that their part of the bargain has been observed strictly, but that the home consumer has not got the full advantage of the arrangement, since some creameries have refused to sell at, or under, the *maximum* price. They declare also that the licensing system has broken down, with the result that some hundreds of tons of exported butter have been "held up" by the Department and are now rotting in English docks. Factories are closed; farmers are selling their milch cows; stores are congested with butter which cannot be turned into money. According to a speaker at the meeting of the Farmers' Union, the whole industry is paralysed.

As we have said, we await the Department's reply. If the butter trade's case is sound, it confirms two familiar facts. One is the fact that attempts to control the freedom of the open market, while they may be justifiable, usually generate a new hardship for every hardship that they remove. The other is the fact that every attack on any single element in a country's economic structure injures all. The Irish working classes are getting cheaper butter to-day, but they are getting it at the cost of unemployment. Man cannot live by butter alone; moreover, they will find presently that they are getting cheaper butter at the cost of dearer milk. The same moral applies, of course, to the present attack on law and administration in Ireland. It has developed largely into an economic conflict, and the Irish people are discovering more clearly with every new day that victory in this conflict—even if it were possible—would be a Pyrrhic victory. In order to establish an economic heresy they have declared war upon themselves. The munitions strike has wrought enormous harm already, and, if the railwaymen decide to close the railways altogether, their action, as Irish Labour's brain department admits, will set the whole country's social life back by a hundred years. In the first place, the railwaymen will depreciate permanently their own means of livelihood. Our Special Commissioner has told us that Southern trade, deprived of the railways, has found a satisfactory substitute in motor transport, and that, if the railways are closed, some of them will have heard an engine's whistle for the last time. In the next place, the strike has wounded, and a complete stoppage will kill for the time being, national commerce and industry. If the railways are closed for even three months, the disastrous results will not have ceased to operate at the end of three years. The effects on production, food prices, and employment will linger, as they are lingering now in the case of the recent war. It is a dismal fallacy to suppose that you can stop the working of a nation's arteries for a day or a month without permanent injury to its health.

In his speech yesterday at the farmers' meeting, Colonel O'Callaghan Westropp seemed to blame the Government for the hardships and losses of the railway crisis. He charged it with "the insidious practice" of putting soldiers on trains, with full knowledge that drivers and guards would refuse to carry them. This is a curiously perverted view of the situation. The Government did not start this unhappy business; it has no desire to starve or injure any section of the Irish people. It is upholding—and the fight has been forced upon it—a principle which is vital to the interests not only of public administration, but of national commerce and industry. The motive of the munitions strike may be political; but its methods constitute, as we have said, an economic heresy. The railwaymen have chosen to dictate to the companies the character of the freight which they may and may not carry. Their campaign is directed specially against the Government, from which, at this moment, they are drawing their wages. Confronted with this claim, the Government's alternatives were resistance or abdication: no other course was possible. It has adopted the policy of which Colonel O'Callaghan Westropp complains because, as we suppose, it is anxious to bring matters to a head. It believes that a short and sharp struggle will inflict less loss than a prolonged and daily-increasing exhaustion of the country's means of life. Of course the farmers are among the chief sufferers, but Colonel O'Callaghan Westropp ought to put the blame in the right quarter. In resisting the railwaymen's demand the Government is defending the economic interests of the farmers and of all other producers; for, if it is conceded now, it may be renewed afterwards in forms which would be fatal to industry and trade. The railwaymen's best friends and the country's best friends are those who urge the abandonment of this claim before the toilfully built structure of Ireland's material welfare collapses in widespread ruin.

Britain and America.

Those whose aim in life seems to be the fomenting of discord between the British Empire and the United States of America should read with care the speech of the American Ambassador in Birmingham yesterday. Mr. Davis, delivering the Presidential address at the Midland Institution, took Anglo-American relations as his theme. "Those who lead the thought and guide the destinies of our two nations," he said, "have no more solemn and sacred duty to the people and to mankind than to labour for the multiplying and strengthening of the ties between us in every passing year." It is good to hear such words from the lips of the great Republic's envoy to our shores. The friendship between the two main branches of the Anglo-Saxon race is essential to the very life of each of them. The British Empire and the United States are the two most mighty Powers on earth. Their ideals are identical, and the attempts that are being made by malevolent persons on both sides of the Atlantic to separate them are as futile as they are mischievous. Along a great, unguarded frontier of 5,400 miles—a distance as wide as that between London and Bombay—America looks Britain in the face. As Mr. Davis said, the far-flung boundary between Canada and the United States provides the best token of our mutual trust. During the past month President Wilson's Administration has been defeated at the polls. The Republican Party has triumphed over its rival, and a totally new foreign policy is being evolved. This is not the first time, however, that America has had a Republican Government. President Roosevelt was a Republican, as was President Taft; and during their administration the friendship between America and Britain grew steadily stronger. The assumption, therefore, that, because Senator Harding has defeated Governor Cox, the relations between the two countries are likely to suffer, is merely absurd. On the contrary, the enemies of Britain in America—the Germans and the denizens of Tammany Hall—are nearly all supporters of the Democrats. "Trust is wiser than distrust," said Mr. Davis, "and confidence is nobler than jealousy." If these worthy precepts be applied by both nations, Anglo-American friendship will survive all the onslaughts of its enemies. Britain must trust America. She has rejected the League of Nations, it is true, but there is no reason to believe that she has rejected it for ever. Sooner or later she will shoulder her share of the world's burden, and, the more cordial her relations with the British people become, the more quickly she is likely to rejoin them in the rebuilding of our shattered civilisation. The earnest endeavour of the statesmen of both countries, therefore, should be to eliminate all the differences that may exist between them, and to concentrate their efforts in finding common ground on which they may meet and work together for the welfare of the race.

The Cost of Clothes.

According to the *Yorkshire Post*, the slump in the prices of woollen goods is bound to reduce the cost of clothing during the next few months. There seems to be a very serious crisis in the woollen trade. Merchants who hold large stocks are being pressed for money, and, consequently, must get rid of them at a heavy loss. There is no open market for abroad; therefore, those who are forced to cut their losses are unloading their stocks on the home markets. Many grades of clothing will be affected, and, in spite of the very heavy cost of production, a certain fall in price is bound to follow. At what date, however, the hapless citizen who wants a new suit may hope to profit by the slump is quite another matter. First-class tailors in Leeds declare that their present prices will not be lowered before the end of next summer; and, if Leeds takes that attitude, Dublin is not likely to relent. During the present week blue serge was sold in Yorkshire at £2 3s. 6d. *per* yard—a price which makes the bare cost of a suit of this material something like eleven guineas, exclusive of trader's profit. In Leeds to-day, it seems, suits of Cheviots cost from twelve to thirteen guineas, while Cashmeres are from four to five guineas dearer. These suits, *bien entendu*, are of the best material; but the ordinary man will not derive much joy at the news of a slump in woollens so long as such fantastic prices are likely to be maintained.

German Fashions.

In the palmy days of German *Kultur* the "upper ten" of Berlin used to take their male and female fashions from London and Paris respectively. Now all that is changed, for the "upper ten" are no more. They have given place to the *Kriegsgewinnler*—peculiarly noxious types of "profiteer"—and the Jewish millionaires from the *Kurfürstendamm*. These people demand fashions all their own, and certainly they seem to be getting them. Last week, in the Zoological Gardens—a fitting venue—a gorgeous parade of fashions attracted thousands of visitors. Most of them were members of the German and Scandinavian fashion trades, but the newly-rich were represented in force. Excellent music was provided for the visitors what time mannequins of both sexes strutted about in gaudy garments of the most remarkable hues. To the joyful rhythm of the *Fledermaus* overture young men paraded, attired in silk pyjamas—hortensia pink, chrysanthemum lilac, and buttercup yellow. Female hockey-players appeared in magenta and sulphur-coloured skirts, and skaters took the floor in white and violet velvet. The performance was a triumph for the makers of aniline dyes. Colours were both fast and furious, and even the voluptuous harmonies of a Strauss waltz could not quell the riot of their startling shades. If last week's parade be any criterion, the *Friedrichstrasse* nowadays must be a sight for the gods.

THE UNGUARDED FRONTIER LINE.

MR. J. W. DAVIS AND ANGLO-AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP.

Delivering the presidential address in connection with the Midland Institute at the Town Hall, Birmingham, last night, the American Ambassador, Mr. J. W. Davis, took as the type of Anglo-American amity the unguarded frontier line between Canada and the United States. His address was illustrated with lantern slides. Those who lead the thought and guide the destinies of our two nations, said His Excellency, have no more solemn and sacred duty to their people, and to mankind, than to labour for the multiplying and strengthening of the ties between us with every passing year. To the present generation, asking for a sign of Anglo-American friendship, I offer the peaceful token of the unguarded boundary. On a front of 5,400 miles—roughly, as far as from London to Cape Town or Bombay, by land and water, over mountain and plain, through lake and river and prairie and forest—the British Empire and the United States meet each other, face to face, without thought of defence or fear of aggression. (Cheers.) In all that distance, the only sentinels who guard the line are silent monuments, erected by the joint action of the two nations. The only vessels are the unarmed ships which carry the commerce of their common waterways; the only weapons are the woodsman's axe, the huntsman's rifle, and the tools of peaceful trade and agriculture. Peace reigns from end to end, as profound and undisturbed as the quiet of the primeval forest that still clothes many reaches of the boundary line. It is a peace, moreover, not of monotony or solitude, for a journey along the windings of this far-flung frontier is an epitome of the industrial and commercial life of the two countries.

HISTORY OF THE BOUNDARY.

After this eloquent preamble, the Ambassador went on to sketch the history of the boundary, which he observed should, at least, warn people to be frightfully suspicious of paper boundaries based on insufficient survey. Having recalled the long drawn-out contests with regard to the line which the frontier should follow from the Arctic to Cape Muzon, from the Pacific to the Atlantic, His Excellency said that we had now settled all the controversies, and had fixed the definite location of the boundary line. A result attained at the cost of so much effort, which meant so much to the millions of people now living along the border, and to the many millions more who would crowd it in the future must not be exposed to the hazard of mistake or forgetfulness. Under a series of treaties between Great Britain and the United States, dated 1903, 1906, 1908, and 1910 respectively, the marking of the boundary from end to end had been assigned to two Commissions. The work had demanded infinite care, "but it is worth its cost," exclaimed the Ambassador, "for however we may disagree in the years that are to come, quarrels over our common boundary are at an end for ever. Any member of the Canadian Parliament or the American Congress who offered now a bill appropriating money to fortify the border would be regarded as mildly insane. In 1817, by a simple exchange of diplomatic notes, war vessels were banished from Lake Champlain and the Great Lakes, and the agreement adjusted to meet the changing conditions of ship construction, and Revenue patrol endures to this day.

THE MORAL.

So it has been, so will it continue. Need I point the obvious moral. Is it not the old truth, that trust is wiser than distrust, that confidence is nobler than jealousy, and that there are saner ways than war for nations to settle their disputes. (Cheers.) Long may your country and mine endure to teach the lesson to the world, and if ever in the future passions should agitate or angry words divide us, may we turn for admonition and for warning to the unguarded boundary. (Loud cheers.)

THE LIMERICK BACON CURING TRADE.

The threatened strike of the Limerick and South of Ireland bacon-curing workers has been averted as the result of a conference held on Wednesday between representatives of the employers and the men. The men's demand was for a weekly increase in their wages of £1, but they decided to accept the employers' offer of 10s. The wages of women workers and youths is to be increased by 5s. There were several hundred men concerned in the dispute.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The Continental anticyclone will cause continued fair weather over Eastern England, with moderate to fresh S.E. winds. Over the rest of the British Isles stronger and more southerly winds are probable, with unsettled weather.

Ireland, N.W. and N.E.—Fresh to strong southerly wind, fair to dull, some showers, hazy, moderate temperature.

Ireland, S.E. and S.W.—Fresh to strong S. to S.E. wind, fair to dull, some showers, hazy, moderate temperature.

The King has conferred a Baronetcy upon Mr. J. W. Stewart, who has just vacated the Provostship of Glasgow.

News has reached London of the death, from diphtheria, whilst traveling on the North-East Frontier, of Reginald Farrer, one of the ablest of modern novelists.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON, THURSDAY NIGHT.

The Prime Minister announced in the House of Commons to-day that a draft agreement for the resumption of trade with Russia was being prepared, and would shortly be sent to the Soviet Government. He resisted attempts to get him to reveal the nature of the agreement, but said that it would not be put into operation until the Soviet Government had carried out their undertaking with regard to British prisoners in Russia.

Mr. Lloyd George declined to answer a number of questions relating to the policy of the Allies towards Greece, on the ground that it was desirable to defer reply until the situation had further developed. He caused much amusement in reply to a question relating to disclosures of official secrets in recent autobiographies by admitting that he had not read the works in question.

It is now uncertain when the Prime Minister will go to Geneva for the League of Nations Conference, and it is quite possible that he may alter his mind, and not go at all. He is determined, however, to be present if anything of an unforeseen nature should make his appearance really necessary. Mr. Balfour may leave on Saturday. The Prime Minister, should he attend, will not have any special place at the Conference, and another delegate will have to give place to him, since he will be present only as a delegate for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The scheme embodied in the Irish Land Bill which is presented by the Government for the completion of land purchase in Ireland as a necessary supplement to the passing of the Home Rule Bill will present some very important features. Payment to the vendors is to be made in Five *per cent.* Bonds (as compared with Three *per cent.* Stock for past transactions). The rate of interest will correspond with the payment annuities of the tenant purchasers, subject to a county average, so that no man pays more than the average of his neighbours—the new purchasers paying this at the same rate as the old ones. A sinking fund of 5s. is arranged for in addition to the five *per cent.* There is a compulsory feature in the Bill, inasmuch as it provides that after a certain date all occupied holdings in the country come under the State through either the Congested Districts Board or the Land Commission. Untenanted land above a certain valuation will pass under the Congested Districts Board, and all the big ranches will in time be divided up.

The amount involved in the scheme is estimated at about seventy millions. The scheme, except as regards the financial particulars, is substantially the same as that unanimously agreed to by the Irish Convention, and that was about the only matter on which the Convention did show unanimity. It should be understood that the Land Bill and the Home Rule Bill hang together. If the latter does not become law, the former drops. Probably the Land Bill will not be passed this session, but the intention is to pass it next session, in ample time to become operative with the Home Rule Bill, should that have been placed on the Statute Book in the meantime.

December is to see the opening of the great political campaign on behalf of the Coalition throughout the country, and there will be a great number of speeches delivered by prominent men in the Government ranks. The Prime Minister is to address meetings at Glasgow and Liverpool, and, seeing that the former is the hotbed of English Bolshevism and the latter of Irish Nationalism, it is probable that Mr. Lloyd George will meet with considerable opposition. Mr. Bonar Law is to speak at Edinburgh and Leeds, Sir R. Horne at Newcastle, while Sir L. Worthington Evans and Dr. Macnamara are to speak in Scotland.

Some rather good news comes from the minefields, where it is reported that the miners are really working well, harder than they did before the strike. A mine-owner states that nearly every pit under his control reports an output far higher than anything recorded for years. If the same conditions obtain in other mines, the result is likely to give considerable surprise to those who have been maintaining that the men were not responsible for the low output before the strike. This mine-owner has not been able to make any improvements yet to bring about an increased output, and is rather at a loss to understand how such satisfactory results are being reached under the old conditions.

The daily press is devoting very little attention to the National Assembly now meeting at Westminster, but it is understood that considerable activity is taking place. The members are already breaking up into parties, and it seems likely that before long there will be High Church, Low Church, and Broad Church parties. A meeting of the advanced High Churchmen who belong to the English Church Union has been held, when some 120 members were present. Lord Phillimore was elected chairman of the group, with Mr. H. W. Hill as secretary. This group is strongly bound together, and will be well organised. It will be interesting to see what steps the other Church parties will take.

Mr. A. Henderson has given the Press an outline of the proposed procedure of the Labour Commission in Ireland. They will visit places where reprisals have taken place, inspect the damage, and have photographs taken. I hear that they will hold an inquiry at their local headquarters and invite witnesses to appear before them. This evidence will be heard *in camera*.

Mr. Galbraith will ask the Prime Minister on Monday whether, in view of the publication of extracts from No. 12 of the *Weekly Summary*, issued from Dublin Castle to police barracks in Ireland, which appears to show that the documents in question directly encourage reprisals, he can now see his way to having a copy of each issue of the *Weekly Summary* laid upon the table of the House.

In view of the strong doubt expressed by many of their supporters as to the character of some of the details of their Bill for transferring to the Home Office the powers of the Liquor Traffic Control Board, the Government, I understand, will defer the second reading, in order that they may give the measure further consideration. It is quite possible, therefore, that, when it does come up for second reading, it will be proposed in a form somewhat modified from that which appears at present. Ministers are well aware that their general licensing measure may provoke a good deal of controversy, and they have no wish that their *ad interim* scheme should produce anything of the kind.

By the way, Lord Hugh Cecil made some interesting remarks about this Bill in the Lobby to-day. "I should like," said his lordship, "to see the establishment, not of State control, but of local control of licensed houses, arranged in such a manner as to encourage the conduct of such houses in the interests of sobriety, and discourage it in the other direction. This might be done by shortening the hours of sale for those whose management was open to objection, and extending them for those where comfort was provided and sobriety the rule, and, in order to assist this policy, the magistrates should be empowered, where cases of drunkenness came before them, to ascertain and record where the offender got his drink."

Colonel Foulkes, of the Indian Medical Service, attached to the Kohat Brigade, was (says a Reuter's Delhi telegram) shot dead in his bungalow on the 15th inst. by a number of tribesmen. His wife, who was badly wounded, was dragged some way by the tribesmen, but subsequently released.

IN DARKEST BERLIN

THE LIGHT THAT FAILED.

FOOD AND MONEY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BERLIN, November 12.

Exactly two years ago the German Republic had its beginning. To one used to German life, particularly under war conditions, it was a mystery that such a drastic change could come into the constitutional life of the people. The sincerity of the whole event was strongly doubted in other countries, and even was regarded as nothing more than a clumsy piece of stage acting. This time last year there was an air of expectant dread in the country. It was believed that the Spartacists were ready to provoke another revolution on the anniversary of the first. But Berlin was buried deep in snow on the memorable "ninth," and any spirit of revolt must have been cooled by the bitterness of the cutting, ice-cold wind. To-day we are in a turbulence of another kind. Not the slightest hint of revolution is heard, however dissatisfied people are with life in general; but there is a strike of the electric power-workers, and, in some suburbs, of the gas-workers and allied forces of labour.

It is really interesting to see the slow unfolding of the effects of the strike. First of all, many of the electric lights, especially the lights in the main streets, went out. That was remedied, apparently, by getting current from another source. A good number of the lamps are still gas lamps. Then the telephone ceased to function—we discovered that it also depends upon electric current. That, too, was remedied. Then all the trams were laid idle. That was not cured, but in the course of the last few days, from the long-concealed oblivion of the scrap heap, a variety of horse vehicles have been resuscitated and put into service, making Berlin look again, with its dismal illumination and its ram-shackle passenger conveyances, like a city of a century ago—or, let us say, the kind of Berlin Charles Dickens would have described had he paid it a visit in his day.

Among the ludicrous effects of the disorder was that at the theatre this evening. During the performance of "*Hollandweibchen*" at the Metropole Theatre—a house famous throughout Europe for its introduction of new pieces of operetta—the daring hero was in the act of knocking at the window of the lady of his infatuation in the dead of night when the lights in the theatre went out. A piece of stage realism with a vengeance! With instant promptitude the manager appeared before one, realised what had happened, and said that there was an emergency generating plant which would be put into use. The public waited with remarkable patience. No light. The public volunteered pocket torch-lights. The leading lady—the famous Clara Dux, from the Opera House—sang her next song. Still no light. The famous comedian Telscher (a kind of George Robey in his way) related funny stories about Americans in their struggles with the language. Finally came light. The actors went back a bit to pick up the thread. After a bit the light failed again, but the public was not having any more of the joke. It ordered the caste to get on with the business of the evening, under the assistance of such illumination as the audience, with the aid of pocket lamps, was able to provide. Anything more absurdly funny than this struggle on the part of the caste in the dimly-lighted stage could not be imagined. But they persevered bravely till at last the stage electricians came to their senses.

The latest aspect of the strike is the dying out of the light in the big hotels, owing to the running down of the accumulators. The underground trains are also no longer running. But, in spite of this return to mediæval simplicity, there is hardly a word of complaint heard. Germany has got pretty well used to being battered about in the last two years. An extra blow or two is nothing to wonder at.

Another sensation of the week has been the raid on the hotels. Here is a typical piece of German officialism. The compulsory control on the consumption of foodstuffs is being "demobilised." It has been found that it is impossible to continue the control, in view of the opposition of public opinion and the decline, since the revolution, of subservience to officialism. In view of these facts it might reasonably be assumed that at least the same measure of evasion of the control as has been openly indulged might now continue, since very shortly all control will, it is expected, be removed. The German mind does not work in that way—at least not the official mind. If greater liberty is granted in one direction, it must be paid for by increased severity in applying the regulations in another direction. So the hotels were all raided, and the managers locked up in the strictest custody, as though they were all prisoners of war. The cellars were ransacked for hidden treasures of sugar, flour, butter, and the like. As if by the stroke of a magician's wand, the whole of these articles dissolved into thin air. The only "finds" were certain bags of sugar here and there, on the strength of which the police issued summonses against the holders. It turned out later that these bags of sugar were of a special sort, sold legally to the hotels by the municipality, since it had over-bought. The police have thus rendered themselves ridiculous, and the spell of the "authorities" over the subservient German mind has been still further weakened.

Another shiver has gone through Germany this week owing to the announcement of the approach of the time for the collection of the so-called "*Reichsnotopfer*." This might be translated by the words, "Sacrifice for the need of the Empire." Bluntly expressed, it is a capital tax. In 1910, or thereabouts, it was once before imposed to buy ships and materials for the then expanding German Navy. It was at that time 10 *per cent.* of the capital of every citizen. This time the newspaper announcements speak of 40 *per cent.*! It is little wonder that there is so vast a drainage of capital from Germany. Nobody who can help it lets it be known what money he has. The only idea is to get the money into safety. The banks are obliged to give full information to the Government about their customers. It is, therefore, unwise, one argues, to confide in one's banker. So the credit balances are reduced to the smallest limit. This in itself is bad for industry.

The next problem is what to do with the money. As all forms of property come under the scheme for taxation, it is of little avail to buy landed property or other visible wealth. Diamonds and platinum are good things to have, for they are small in size for their value and easily concealed. But private businesses, like banks, must give, if required, information about their customers. I know one old man earning a bare living at a starvation wage as a book-keeper. He recently sold a carpet which he had in his home to a friend. A few days after he received a formal demand from the taxation department to furnish the name of the buyer and state the price paid. This is a case of killing two birds with one stone. Finally, it is not of any use to hoard the paper money. The Government is considering the plan of stamping the money. One would hand in, say, 1,000 marks and receive back, say, 600 marks of the stamped money. The stamped money would alone be valid afterwards. Hoarding would then be useless. One can with safety buy foreign money—for the sake of argument, British five-pound notes. That is just what people are doing. The result is that the foreign money is getting dearer and dearer, and the industry and commerce of the country suffering incalculable injury. Germany, after years of "freedom," is still a fine country not to live in.

SIR EDWARD CARSON AND A TRUCE.

The London *Evening Standard* yesterday published an interview with Sir Edward Carson, in the course of which he said that he had seen the suggestions made that there should be what is called "A Truce of God" in Ireland. There was no part of the community which more earnestly desired peace than Ulster. They were willing in 1914 to accept as a settlement the exclusion of six counties from the Home Rule Act. In 1916 they were willing for the Act to be brought into force provided they were excluded. They accepted the present bill, with Council, representing the Northern and Southern Parliaments, empowered to bring about unity by agreement at any time. That was the only method of bringing about a real unity, which could never be forced. A continuance of assassination was alienating the North from the South, and making more difficult a settlement in the immediate future. Those who raised the cry of "withdraw the dogs of civil war," suggested that the Government were the aggressors, whereas the latter were compelled to protect innocent people. If all parties made it clear that the Government must resist Sinn Fein methods, it would show the futility of the latter.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 8.30 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"The Lilac Domino," 7.45 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"The Guilty Man," 6.30 and 8.30.
Empire Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Island of Saints and How to Get Out of It," "Sovereign Love," and "A Night at an Inn," 7.30 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—Pictures, etc., 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Orchestral Concert in aid of the Cancer Hospital ... Street—Engineers' Hall, 35 Dawson ... 4.30 p.m.
Chrysanthemum Show—The Moorings, Merrion Road.
Mothers' Union—Service in St. Patrick's Cathedral.
Women's ... Meeting, Glenageary Parochial Hall, 4.0.
Rath... Temperance Union—Lincoln Place, 3 p.m.
... Church—Memorial Service and Unveiling ... War Memorial, 8 p.m.
Alexandra College—Hermione Lecture, 4 p.m.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH BILL.

In its editorial comment to-day, *The Times* says that the Government in their own interest would have been well advised to abandon the whole of the provisions of the unwieldy Ministry of Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill until next session. In the debate on the financial resolution attached to the bill, Mr. G. Locker-Lampson pointed out that it really amounted to an indemnity proposal, because in certain respects the money had already been spent by Dr. Addison. We do not think that Parliament is taking a sufficiently serious view of the actions of Ministers, who make big decisions or spend huge sums without consulting the House of Commons, and "in anticipation of sanction." This practice is at the root of the notorious Slough Motor Dépôt scandal. Lord Inverforth pushed on with his gigantic dépôt, because he believed he was going to be at the head of a Ministry of Supply which Parliament had never sanctioned, and had not even been consulted about. When the Government discovered that Parliament had not the smallest intention of sanctioning any such Ministry, Lord Inverforth found himself in a fix. All the Ministers of the new dispensation, bred in the heroic and masterful atmosphere of war, are wont to think that they "need not wait" for the poor House of Commons. Dr. Addison is particularly prone to this mistake, and it is time he was taught in the severest possible way that Parliament is not quite dead. He has tied himself up into knots over the Bradford Poor Law Infirmary, a question which we commend to the attention of those who hold, as we do, that no punishment can be too rigorous for Ministers who act unconstitutionally. Dr. Addison's present bill proposes to permit local authorities to acquire poor law infirmaries, but, being either ignorant of or indifferent to the existing law, Dr. Addison actually sanctioned the transfer of the Bradford Poor Law Infirmary to the local municipal authorities so long ago as last March. It took him seven months, and a conflict with the local doctors, to discover that he had done something extremely foolish, whereupon he "suspended" his sanction. One of the objects of the new bill is to legalise his action, but, apart from the huge issues involved in the hospital clause, we trust the House of Commons will not allow Dr. Addison to ride off so lightly. Cabinet Ministers, new style, should be made to understand that they are not above the law, and that Parliament cannot occupy its time in passing measures to justify action already taken.

WASTE AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

The Times, in a leading article to-day, states:—Mr. Kellaway, of the Department of Overseas Trade, was undoubtedly right in saying, at Harrold yesterday, that the public conscience is much more sensitive in regard to the evil of unemployment than it has ever been before. The spectacle of large bodies of men and women, many of whom have deserved well of their country, being willing, but unable, to find work is a blot upon our economic and social system, and anyone who could secure the general acceptance of any plan to eliminate it would be entitled to a prominent niche in the temple of fame. One of the causes of the increase in unemployment is, as Mr. Kellaway pointed out, the unsatisfactory position as between Labour and Capital, adds *The Times*. He gave several instances of orders being lost to British trade in consequence of the presence in British contracts of the variation clause, which gives the contractor the right to vary the price and the time of delivery in case the cost of production should be higher than he had estimated. The instances which Mr. Kellaway gave are not isolated. There are many manifestations of this difficult Labour position. They are to be found in the importation from abroad of goods which could, and ought to, be manufactured here. A banker recently suggested that the Government should appoint a Royal Commission to investigate the whole Labour and Capital position, with a view to the discovery of means, if any, by which the distribution of wealth produced by the aid of both may be more satisfactorily settled than by the present method of strike and lock-out. The growth of unemployment is due to diminishing trade activity, and its proper cure lies not in Government measures of relief, though these are necessary to alleviate distress, but in a revival of the demand for British goods. Mr. Kellaway was right in his analysis of the general causes of the lessened activity. One of the most important is the collapse of the Continental and other exchanges, which has cut away much of the purchasing power of countries which were formerly our best customers. In some Continental countries two or three times as much local currency has to be paid for £1 of goods purchased here as was the case a year ago, and the reason for this is that the Continent is not producing a sufficient supply of goods. As soon as the world begins to manufacture goods instead of paper money, and to pay its way instead of piling up debts for posterity, the sooner will the exchanges right themselves. This latter aspect of the cause of high prices and low exchanges was ignored by Mr. Kellaway, though it is of the highest importance. Mr. McKenna in his address at Manchester on Wednesday showed that the burden of taxation, owing to continued Government extravagance, is so heavy that firms have to borrow money from the banks in order to pay the taxes demanded of them. This is sufficient to show that there is no more urgent need in the present situation than that the Government should reduce its expenditure. The taxable capacity of the nation has been overstepped, and some taxes, like the Excess Profits Duty, have become a menace both to producers and to the Exchequer. The Excess Profits Duty must be abolished. It is as a milestone tied round the neck of industry. It deprives business of its life-blood, which is capital.

EMPIRE PEACE CABINET.

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(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

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Exactly two years ago the German Republic had its beginning. To one used to German life, particularly under war conditions, it was a mystery that such a drastic change could come into the constitutional life of the people. The sincerity of the whole event was strongly doubted in other countries, and even was regarded as nothing more than a clumsy piece of stage acting. This time last year there was an air of expectant dread in the country. It was believed that the Spartacists were ready to provoke another revolution on the anniversary of the first. But Berlin was buried deep in snow on the memorable "ninth," and any spirit of revolt must have been cooled by the bitterness of the cutting, ice-cold wind. To-day we are in a turbulence of another kind. Not the slightest hint of revolution is heard, however dissatisfied people are with life in general; but there is a strike of the electric power-workers, and, in some suburbs, of the gas-workers and allied forces of labour.

It is really interesting to see the slow unfolding of the effects of the strike. First of all, many of the electric lights, especially the lights in the main streets, went out. That was remedied, apparently, by getting current from another source. A good number of the lamps are still gas lamps. Then the telephone ceased to function—we discovered that it also depends upon electric current. That, too, was remedied. Then all the trams were laid idle. That was not cured, but in the course of the last few days, from the long-concealed oblivion of the scrap heap, a variety of horse vehicles have been resuscitated and put into service, making Berlin look again, with its dismal illumination and its ram-shackle passenger conveyances, like a city of a century ago—or, let us say, the kind of Berlin Charles Dickens would have described had he paid it a visit in his day.

Among the ludicrous effects of the disorder was that at the theatre this evening. During the performance of "*Hollandweibchen*" at the Metropole Theatre—a house famous throughout Europe for its introduction of new pieces of operetta—the daring hero was in the act of knocking at the window of the lady of his infatuation in the dead of night when the lights in the theatre went out. A piece of stage realism with a vengeance! With instant promptitude the manager appeared before one realised what had happened, and said that there was an emergency generating plant which would be put into use. The public waited with remarkable patience. No light. The public volunteered pocket torch-lights. The leading lady—the famous Clara Dux, from the Opera House—sang her next song. Still no light. The famous comedian Tolscher (a kind of George Robey in his way) related funny stories about Americans in their struggles with the language. Finally came light. The actors went back a bit to pick up the thread. After a bit the light failed again, but the public was not having any more of the joke. It ordered the caste to get on with the business of the evening, under the assistance of such illumination as the audience, with the aid of pocket lamps, was able to provide. Anything more absurdly funny than this struggle on the part of the caste in the dimly-lighted stage could not be imagined. But they persevered bravely till at last the stage electricians came to their senses.

The latest aspect of the strike is the dying out of the light in the big hotels, owing to the running down of the accumulators. The underground trains are also no longer running. But, in spite of this return to mediæval simplicity, there is hardly a word of complaint heard. Germany has got pretty well used to being battered about in the last two years. An extra blow or two is nothing to wonder at.

Another sensation of the week has been the raid on the hotels. Here is a typical piece of German officialism. The compulsory control on the consumption of foodstuffs is being "demobilised." It has been found that it is impossible to continue the control, in view of the opposition of public opinion and the decline, since the revolution, of subservience to officialism. In view of these facts it might reasonably be assumed that at least the same measure of evasion of the control as has been openly indulged might now continue, since very shortly all control will, it is expected, be removed. The German mind does not work in that way—at least not the official mind. If greater liberty is granted in one direction, it must be paid for by increased severity in applying the regulations in another direction. So the hotels were all raided, and the managers locked up in the strictest custody, as though they were all prisoners of war. The cellars were ransacked for hidden treasures of sugar, flour, butter, and the like. As if by the stroke of a magician's wand, the whole of these articles dissolved into thin air. The only "finds" were certain bags of sugar here and there, on the strength of which the police issued summonses against the holders. It turned out later that these bags of sugar were of a special sort, sold legally to the hotels by the municipality, since it had over-bought. The police have thus rendered themselves ridiculous, and the spell of the "authorities" over the subservient German mind has been still further weakened.

Another shiver has gone through Germany this week owing to the announcement of the approach of the time for the collection of the so-called "*Reichsnotopfer.*" This might be translated by the words, "Sacrifice for the need of the Empire." Bluntly expressed, it is a capital tax. In 1910, or thereabouts, it was once before imposed to buy ships and materials for the then expanding German Navy. It was at that time 10 *per cent.* of the capital of every citizen. This time the newspaper announcements speak of 40 *per cent.*! It is little wonder that there is so vast a drainage of capital from Germany. Nobody who can help it lets it be known what money he has. The only idea is to get the money into safety. The banks are obliged to give full information to the Government about their customers. It is, therefore, unwise, one argues, to confide in one's banker. So the credit balances are reduced to the smallest limit. This in itself is bad for industry.

The next problem is what to do with the money. As all forms of property come under the scheme for taxation, it is of little avail to buy landed property or other visible wealth. Diamonds and platinum are good things to have, for they are small in size for their value and easily concealed. But private businesses, like banks, must give, if required, information about their customers. I know one old man earning a bare living at a starvation wage as a book-keeper. He recently sold a carpet which he had in his home to a friend. A few days after he received a formal demand from the taxation department to furnish the name of the buyer and state the price paid. This is a case of killing two birds with one stone. Finally, it is not of any use to hoard the paper money. The Government is considering the plan of stamping the money. One would bend in, say, 1,000 marks and receive back, say, 600 marks of the stamped money. The stamped money would alone be valid afterwards. Hoarding would then be useless. One can with safety buy foreign money—for the sake of argument, British five-pound notes. That is just what people are doing. The result is that the foreign money is getting dearer and dearer, and the industry and commerce of the country suffering incalculable injury. Germany, after years of "freedom," is still a fine country not to live in.

SIR EDWARD CARSON AND A TRUCE.

The London *Evening Standard* yesterday published an interview with Sir Edward Carson, in the course of which he said that he had seen the suggestions made that there should be what is called "A Truce of God" in Ireland. There was no part of the community which more earnestly desired peace than Ulster. They were willing in 1914 to accept as a settlement the exclusion of six counties from the Home Rule Act. In 1916 they were willing for the Act to be brought into force provided they were excluded. They accepted the present bill, with Council, representing the Northern and Southern Parliaments, empowered to bring about unity by agreement at any time.

That was the only method of bringing about a real unity, which could never be forced. A continuance of assassination was alienating the North from the South, and making more difficult a settlement in the immediate future. Those who raised the cry of "withdraw the dogs of civil war," suggested that the Government were the aggressors, whereas the latter were compelled to protect innocent people. If all parties made it clear that the Government must resist Sinn Fein methods, it would show the futility of the latter.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 8.50 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"The Lilac Domino," 7.45 p.m.
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Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Orchestral Concert in aid of the Cancer Hospital, Hume Street—Engineers' Hall, 35 Dawson Street, 4.30 p.m.
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THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH BILL.

In its editorial comment to-day, *The Times* says that the Government in their own interest would have been well advised to abandon the whole of the provisions of the unwieldy Ministry of Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill until next session. In the debate on the financial resolution attached to the bill, Mr. G. Locker-Lampson pointed out that it really amounted to an indemnity proposal, because in certain respects the money had already been spent by Dr. Addison. We do not think that Parliament is taking a sufficiently serious view of the actions of Ministers, who make big decisions or spend huge sums without consulting the House of Commons, and "in anticipation of sanction." This practice is at the root of the notorious Slough Motor Depôt scandal. Lord Inverforth pushed on with his gigantic depôt, because he believed he was going to be at the head of a Ministry of Supply which Parliament had never sanctioned, and had not even been consulted about. When the Government discovered that Parliament had not the smallest intention of sanctioning any such Ministry, Lord Inverforth found himself in a fix. All the Ministers of the new dispensation, bred in the heroic and masterful atmosphere of war, are wont to think that they "need not wait" for the poor House of Commons. Dr. Addison is particularly prone to this mistake, and it is time he was taught in the severest possible way that Parliament is not quite dead. He has tied himself up into knots over the Bradford Poor Law Infirmary, a question which we commend to the attention of those who hold, as we do, that no punishment can be too rigorous for Ministers who act unconstitutionally. Dr. Addison's present bill proposes to permit local authorities to acquire poor law infirmaries, but, being either ignorant of or indifferent to the existing law, Dr. Addison actually sanctioned the transfer of the Bradford Poor Law Infirmary to the local municipal authorities so long ago as last March. It took him seven months, and a conflict with the local doctors, to discover that he had done something extremely foolish, whereupon he "suspended" his sanction. One of the objects of the new bill is to legalise his action, but, apart from the huge issues involved in the hospital clause, we trust the House of Commons will not allow Dr. Addison to ride off so lightly. Cabinet Ministers, new style, should be made to understand that they are not above the law, and that Parliament cannot occupy its time in passing measures to justify action already taken.

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DAIRY INDUSTRY THREATENED.

(BY A SOUTHERN EXPORTER.)

During the latter portion of July in this year the Department of Agriculture and the representatives of the producers of butter in Ireland entered into a so-called voluntary arrangement (made necessary by the threatened action of Labour to refuse to handle butter for export in the same way as last April) whereby it was agreed that the producers should provide at their own risk a reserve of 4,000 tons of butter for distribution in Ireland during the months of December, January, February, and March following. This butter was to be sold by the producers to the wholesalers and retailers, enabling it to be retailed up to the end of March at a price not exceeding 3s. 4d. *per* lb. It was also agreed by the producers' representatives that they would supply the current requirements in Ireland of the wholesalers and retailers at a price which would enable the butter to be retailed at not over 3s. 4d. *per* lb.

The Department of Agriculture then fixed the quota of each producer towards the carrying out of this scheme. They instructed each producer to cold-store 40 *per cent.* of his production at his own expense. They permitted him to export to Great Britain 30 *per cent.* of his output, with leave to get the best price he could for it in Great Britain, and they instructed him to reserve for Irish requirements 30 *per cent.* of his output, to be, as before stated, supplied to the wholesalers and retailers, enabling it to be retailed at a price not exceeding 3s. 4d. *per* lb.

The 4,000 tons necessary for the winter requirements of the consumers in Ireland have been cold-stored. The representatives of the producers, of course, could not guarantee that every producer in the country would adhere to this voluntary arrangement, but it was fairly well adhered to by a great number of the producers, among whom were the largest exporters in the country, whose contributions as to cold storage entailed financial obligations running into hundreds of thousands of pounds sterling. At the end of September the producers were informed that they need cold-store no more, as the required 4,000 tons had been secured. They were subsequently told that the Department had made a mistake, and that they were still 500 tons short of the quantity required, which the producers were instructed to make up in quantities specified by the Department.

These instructions as to the further quantity required for cold storage have, so far as the members of the Irish Butter Trade Association go, been carried out. The members of the Association have also fulfilled every demand made on them for supplies in Ireland at the prices agreed on, but found themselves at the end of September with considerable quantities of stock which was not of the description required by the trade in this country, and which they were unable to dispose of in Ireland. They naturally expected, as was foreshadowed at the initiation of the agreement entered into with the Department of Agriculture, that, when the winter requirements had been secured, licences for increased quantities would be granted to those who had, as far as in them lay, adhered to the terms of the arrangement. The contrary, however, is the case at the present time, as the principal exporters have been denied licences, which are being freely granted to people who are practically not in the trade at all, and to many who are no more than hucksters at the business, while those who have undertaken enormous financial responsibilities are denied the means of disposing of stocks for which there is no outlet in this country. This denial of licences to those who have taken this enormous financial risk on their shoulders is responsible for the stoppage of buying of fresh butter in most of the markets in Munster, as purchases could not be disposed of in this country. Consequently most of the factories have had to discharge the greater number of their hands, with the result in many cases that the other hands have been called out and business has been entirely suspended.

Thus those who have endeavoured most carefully to conform to the Department's wishes and have taken this enormous financial responsibility have been turned down by the Department and licences refused them, while others without any claim to such licences have obtained them freely. Also the farmers in Munster have been deprived of a market for their home-made dairy produce in many cases, and, when they were enabled to sell at any price, it has been at a figure of about half, or less, that obtainable by the English farmer in Great Britain for the same commodity.

It may be true that some of the exporters, when they were assured that the winter requirements of the country were safely cold-stored, had, while still supplying all the demands made on them in Ireland at the prices agreed on, exported some of their surplus, considering that they had faithfully carried out the arrangement made with the Department. There was no other course open to them. They had either to keep the butter in ordinary storage and let it become unfit for use, or to export it. What other course could any reasonable person say was open to them, but to act as they did? Yet for so doing portion of their exports has been held up on the quays in Great Britain for the past month by the Customs authorities on the instruction of the Department of Agriculture in Ireland, at a very considerable loss in the quality of the food so seized. Concerning the object of this seizure, the shippers have received no information whatsoever from those upon whose instructions the goods were held up.

How long is this condition of the trade to continue? It is surely scarcely conceivable that the Department of Agriculture, which is presumably in existence for the benefit and encouragement of the dairying industry in Ireland, can, out of any ill-feeling towards some exporters who may unwittingly have exceeded the exact letter of the Department's Butter Order, commit themselves to the policy of putting out of trade the largest dealers in butter in the country. The word "unwittingly" is used advisedly, as it has only just been discovered by these exporters that the Department had the Defence of the Realm Act behind their Order, and that offences against the Order were offences against D.O.R.A. Had they been informed that the arrangement entered into with the Department as a voluntary one was, as a matter of fact, a compulsory arrangement, they would have acted accordingly. They consider that, as they were lured into the arrangement under false pretences, or at least under a false impression, the Department should take over immediately all their financial responsibilities with regard to butter held by these exporters, whether in or out of cold store.

It is stated that the export of milch cows from Ireland to Great Britain during the past ten months has been 14,000 more than in the corresponding period last year. Can this be wondered at when it is known that the English farmer can obtain in Great Britain about 100 *per cent.* more for the butter made from the milk of these cows than the Irish farmer can get for a similar article in Ireland? At the same rate of depletion how long will it be before the dairying industry is a thing of the past in Ireland? Who must be held responsible for this but the Department of Agriculture, who have permitted and encouraged this condition of affairs by their unfair and arbitrary treatment of the trade, and by the restrictions which they placed on prices in Ireland?

AMBASSADORS' COUNCIL.

FRENCH AND BRITISH TROOPS IN DANZIG.

A Reuter's Paris telegram of Thursday says:—The Council of Ambassadors met here this morning and heard the report of the Inter-Allied Commission regarding the organisation of the plebiscite in Upper Silesia. The Council decided that the French and British troops at present in Danzig should shortly evacuate the city, and a Franco-British Commission should be appointed for the purpose of carrying out the partition of goods belonging to the German Empire and the German States between Poland and the free City of Danzig, in conformity with Article 107 of the Peace Treaty.

The President of the Council of Ambassadors, speaking on behalf of himself and his colleagues, expressed to Lord Derby, retiring British Ambassador, the sincere regrets felt by the Council at his departure. Lord Derby made a short speech in reply.

REUNION OF CHURCHES.

The question of Reunion was discussed at a meeting in London yesterday of the Assembly of the Church of England.

The Archbishop of York moved that the Assembly welcome the "Appeal to all Christian People," issued by the Lambeth Conference, and expressed the hope that the preliminary step would be taken as soon as possible to initiate conferences on the proposals set out in the appeal. It was believed, said His Grace, that the ideal was that of organic union, in which the different creeds would retain all that had been characteristic of their development. The time was long past when any group of Christians could bandy epithets of schism one with another. They would get no further along the road if a spirit of self-satisfaction was retained. The Lambeth Conference asked for no repudiation of ministries which men had already enjoyed and fulfilled.

Lord Selborne seconded the resolution, which was carried unanimously after a discussion, in which the Bishop of Durham, Archbishop of Canterbury, and others participated.

The ex-Crown Prince of Germany left Wieringen yesterday for Doorn. His visit is understood to be connected with the condition of health of the ex-Empress of Germany, which is occasioning serious alarm.

VENIZELOS LEAVES GREECE.

STREET RIOTING IN ATHENS.

EX-KING AND HIS RETURN.

An Athens telegram, dated Wednesday, states:—There was a Constantinian pandemonium here this afternoon. The number of demonstrators was not large, but they were obviously organised, with a view to creating an impression, with motor cars, carriages, large portraits, and flags, and there was firing at random. The armed police force that was on duty joined with the demonstrators and sang the Constantine anthem. M. Venizelos has left Greece for Nice by the yacht Narcissus, escorted by a British cruiser and two destroyers.

An Exchange Paris telegram says that, according to an Athens report, M. Venizelos declared before embarking that he was certain that his life and those of his friends were in danger.

An Athens telegram to Paris says:—The results so far to hand of the elections on the Asia Minor and Thracian fronts show some gains for the Venizelists, who hope to obtain 150 or 160 seats in the Chamber out of the total of 368.

M. Rhallis to-day had a long interview with the Regent, and this evening he conferred with the other leaders to decide as to whether the new Government should take the oath in the presence of Queen Olga.

M. Rhallis took the oath of office as Premier before the Regent on Wednesday. He immediately called upon the latter to resign. The other Ministers will take the oath before the Queen Mother.

An Athens telegram, dated Thursday, states:—It is learned on reliable authority that the new Cabinet will include M. Rhallis as Premier and Foreign Minister, M. Gounaris War Minister, and M. John Rhallis, Marine Minister.

STATEMENT BY THE EX-KING.

The Lucerne Correspondent of the *Messagero*, says a Reuter's Rome telegram, has interviewed ex-King Constantine, who expresses great satisfaction at the results of the elections. The ex-Monarch denied that he was animated by any feelings of enmity towards the Allies, but, on the contrary, he relied upon their honesty to permit his return to the Throne, if a plebiscite showed that the Greek people desired him back.

The ex-King also declared that if he was recalled to the Throne his policy would be always loyal to the Allies, adding that the cause of M. Venizelos's downfall was the deep hatred he entertained towards him (Constantine), although on questions of internal policy all Greeks were in agreement with M. Venizelos.

Referring to Constantinople, the ex-King said that its possession was a vision which Greeks cherished, and would cherish, but it was nothing more than a vision.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS AND KING CONSTANTINE.

Colonel Morden, in the House of Commons yesterday, asked the Prime Minister whether Greece would be allowed to remain a member of the League of Nations if ex-King Constantine returned to the throne.

Mr. Lloyd George—Under Article 16 of the Covenant the expulsion of a member of the League is a matter for the decision of the Council.

Replying to several members in the Commons yesterday, the Prime Minister said that it was not desirable to answer questions on the effect of the Greek elections on the foreign policy of the Allies until the situation had further developed. He had no information as to whether the Greek troops were evacuating, or remaining in, their positions.

TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE AND THE NEGOTIATIONS.

POSITION OF BRITISH PRISONERS.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. Bonar Law, in reply to Colonel Sir Frederick Hall, said that arrangements would be made to obtain evidence from the British prisoners who had been released from Baku as to their treatment at the hands of the Soviet authorities. As to postponing further friendly negotiations with M. Krassin and the Russian delegates until the publication of such evidence, he had nothing to add to a previous reply to the hon. gentleman.

Mr. Raper—Is it the settled policy of the Government that we are to sell British honour for stolen gold?

Mr. Bonar Law—No, sir.

Mr. Raper—Are the foul murder of Captain Crosbie and the disgraceful treatment of prisoners at Batum to be avenged by our shaking hands with the associates of murderers?

Mr. Bonar Law—Nobody needs to shake hands with them. My hon. friend's question implies that there is to be no trade with Russia as long as the Soviet Government exists. That is a very serious suggestion.

Mr. Pemberton Billing—May we take it, then, that we have now abandoned the British prisoners in Russia?

Mr. Bonar Law—The House may take it for certain that we shall secure their release. (Cheers.)

Mr. Lloyd George, replying to Sir Samuel Roberts and other members, said that the Cabinet had decided that a draft agreement to carry out the July arrangement for trading with Russia should be prepared, and he hoped it would be ready for submission to the Russian Government in a few days. The agreement would not be entered into until the Cabinet was satisfied that the undertaking given by the Soviet Government with regard to British prisoners was being carried out. If the House desired to discuss the subject he had no doubt that that could be arranged.

Sir William Davison asked whether the terms of the agreement would include an acknowledgment by Russia of her debt of five hundred millions to this country, even though she might not be able to pay it at the moment.

The Speaker said that notice should be given of that question.

THE STATE OF TIPPERARY TOWN.

A REPLY TO THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

Mr. P. J. Moloney, M.P., Chairman of the Tipperary Urban Council, has addressed an open letter to the Chief Secretary, in which he contradicts his statement in the House of Commons on the 17th inst., relative to the burnings in Tipperary. He asserts that houses were deliberately burned, that the Urban Council employés were obstructed, that the hose was cut, and that men and women who were assisting to put out the fires were assaulted and threatened. Mr. Moloney describes as absolutely untrue the Chief Secretary's statement that there were seven murders in Tipperary Town since January 1st, 1919. One man, Andrew Hayes, he says, was shot in the town last July, and died afterwards in the local hospital, and no one was arrested for, or charged with, his death. No other murder was committed in the town or parish of Tipperary for the past twenty-five years.

THE NATIONAL FINANCIAL SITUATION.

Mr. Bonar Law, replying to Colonel Sir Godfrey Collins in the House of Commons yesterday, said that the Government would give a day, possibly in the week after next, for the discussion of the present national financial situation. He presumed that the Opposition would put down a motion on the subject.

OUR FLOATING DEBT IN AMERICA.

Mr. Chamberlain, replying to Mr. Wise in the Commons yesterday, said that the amount of the British floating debt in the United States of America on 17th November was 57,405,000 dollars. A year ago it was 150,914,000 dollars.

INCIDENTS IN THE PROVINCES.

Three motor drivers have been arrested in Enniscorthy and taken to Dublin. The charge against them is not known.

On Wednesday night a party of soldiers seized letters in Ballina Post Office, which, it is said, were addressed to well-known Sinn Feiners.

Claims amounting to nearly £800 have been lodged by traders in Enniscorthy for damage to their property during the past week. In one case a motor car was burned at night.

Judgment was reserved by a District Court-martial in Galway yesterday in a case in which Patrick J. Walsh, a tailor, of Oughterard, was accused of soliciting a soldier to sell arms.

The two men who were shot at and wounded in Kilcullen some nights ago are now stated to be out of danger. The other men who were arrested at the same time are in military custody.

A District Courtmartial in Galway yesterday acquitted Michael Martyn, B.E., Tuam, who was charged with having at his house in Portumna a quantity of ammunition not under effective military control.

The Secretary reported to the Leitrim County Council at their meeting yesterday that the rate books and other documents, which were stolen some time ago by armed and disguised men from the rate collector, had been returned.

Additional claims have been lodged for compensation for malicious injuries in Clare, bringing the total to £321,768. They include—Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty and others, £2,500 for the burning of the Temperance Hall at Miltown Malbay.

NIGHT OF TERROR IN CORK.

THREE MEN SHOT DEAD.

TWO OTHERS BADLY WOUNDED.

SOLDIER KILLED IN COUNTY LIMERICK.

The following official reports reached Dublin from Cork yesterday:—

In the early hours of this morning four or five civilians, in overcoats and with their caps drawn over their faces, called at the house of James Coleman, publican, in North Mall, Cork. When he came down and opened the front door he was shot dead. Three bullets entered his breast. Coleman was friendly with the police.

Patrick Hanley, 19, single, labourer, of 2 Broad street, Cork, and Eugene Connell, labourer, married, 17 Broad lane, were shot dead in their homes by masked men at midnight last night. At the same time Stephen Coleman, 2 Broad street, soldier, married, and Charles Bryan, 17 Broad lane, Cork, were shot at and dangerously wounded by the same unknown men.

Our Cork Correspondent telegraphs that the latest information shows that three persons are dead—James Coleman, 13 North Mall; Eugene Connell, 17 Broad lane; and Patrick Hanley, 2 Broad street—and two wounded—Charles O'Brien, 17 Broad lane, and Stephen Coleman, 2 Broad street. Relatives when interviewed state that the shooting was done in every case by a man in uniform.

Mr. James Coleman was treasurer of the Cork Industrial Development Association, and carried on a mineral water factory and a wine and spirit business. At four o'clock on Thursday morning, it is stated, in answer to loud knocking at the front door, Mr. Coleman rose from bed, partly dressed, and going down stairs asked who was there. The reply was "Military." When the door was opened a tall man stepped in and asked, "Are you Coleman?" to which he got an affirmative reply. This man then fired two shots point blank, and Coleman fell on the chair beside the door. The man swung around then as if to leave, but again turned and fired two or three shots more, all of which took effect, one bullet penetrating the region of the heart. Coleman died instantly, and the man left quickly. Mrs. Coleman stated that ten minutes later a policeman, whom she knew by appearance, came to the door with revolver in hand. She said, "Why did you kill him?" and the man replied, "We did not do it." She said that she saw it being done, when he replied, "Perhaps it was Sinn Feiners dressed in our uniform." When she suggested going for a priest he said, "Don't you hear the shots? You had better not go out, or you might be murdered, and one is enough dead." He helped to place pillows under the body, and left, remarking that a comrade was waiting for him outside. Mrs. Coleman and her maids remained beside the body until 7 o'clock in the morning, when neighbours called.

The shooting in Broad street occurred about midnight. The front door was smashed in, and, it is alleged, that a man in uniform rushed upstairs and burst in the door of the room in which Stephen Coleman and his wife and children were sleeping. Turning a flashlight on them, he raised a revolver and fired into the bed, wounding Coleman in the arm. The man then went to the room in which Patrick Hanley and John King were sleeping. They jumped out of bed. Hanley reached the bedroom door and shouted: "Don't shoot. I am an orphan and my mother's chief support." The intruder fired, but the first shot missed, and he fired again, the bullet striking Hanley just above the heart, killing him instantly. The intruder then examined another room, but finding that it was occupied only by a woman left.

A few minutes later the shooting in 17 Broad lane occurred. Here Eugene O'Connell was shot, and his brother-in-law, Charles O'Brien, a lad of 17 years, was seriously wounded. O'Connell, who was sleeping with his wife and child, came out to the landing, and the man fired, striking him on the wrist, and, following him into the room, fired again, the bullet entering his head, killing him instantly.

The man then rushed upstairs and shot Charles O'Brien, the bullet passing through the ear and lodging in the neck. After wounding O'Brien the assailant went to the bed in which his younger brother, aged 10, was, and raised his revolver. The boy exclaimed, "Don't shoot me; I am too young." The assailant loaded his revolver and hurried out of the house.

Six policemen called at 2 Broad street to-day and remained for a considerable time making inquiries. The same party also called at 17 Broad lane, but were refused admittance.

AERODROME ATTACKED.

ONE SOLDIER KILLED; ANOTHER WOUNDED.

Our Limerick Correspondent telegraphed last night as follows:—A party of military guarding the aerodrome at Bawnmore, two miles from Limerick, was attacked at half-past two this morning by a number of armed men. As a result one soldier was shot dead, and another seriously wounded in the right knee.

The soldiers, whose names could not be ascertained, belonged to the Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

The object of the attack is believed to have been to obtain equipment and arms, but nothing was got, as the raiders were beaten off.

The remains of the dead soldier were taken to the morgue at the military barracks, and the wounded man was removed to hospital.

THE MURDER OF DISTRICT INSPECTOR KELLEHER.

An official report issued yesterday states that Bernard Macken, Lawrence Kiernan, and Kitty Kiernan have been arrested in connection with the murder of District Inspector Kelleher at Granard, Co. Longford, on the 31st October.

AUXILIARY POLICEMEN ATTACKED.

An official report states that on the 15th inst. two members of the Auxiliary force, stationed at Woodstock, County Kilkenny, were on duty in Cork, where they were attacked by about a dozen men and one of the two, an ex-captain, was knocked down and deprived of his revolver. His comrade, an ex-major, discharged five shots from a revolver, and the attacking party suddenly decamped. It is believed that two of their number were hit.

MILITARY SEARCHES IN DUBLIN.

A number of searches were made by military and police in Dublin in the small hours of yesterday morning. Shortly before 1 a.m. a party of about 20 soldiers, in charge of an officer, and accompanied by a D.M.P. constable, visited the City of Dublin Technical Schools, 18 Parnell Square, and made a search, which lasted until about 2 a.m. Those in charge of the building subsequently stated that they were not aware of any seizure having been made. A boarding-house at No. 2 Gardiner's place, of which Miss Mulhall is the proprietress, was visited at about 2.30 a.m., and the boarders were questioned by the military as to their identity, but no arrests or seizures were made. In the small hours of the morning two houses in Gloucester street—Nos. 52 and 58—were visited by military search parties, but no arrests were made, the soldiers acting with courtesy. An official of the Munster and Leinster Bank, Lower Sackville street, which was visited by the auxiliary police on Wednesday afternoon, was taken from his lodgings in Harcourt street on the same evening, and an official of another branch of the same bank in the city was afterwards taken away by the military. So far as is known no charge has been preferred in either case. The house of Mrs. McLoughlin, No. 29 South Cumberland street, off Great Brunswick street, was visited by a party of auxiliary Constabulary at about mid-day yesterday, and they are stated to have inquired for a man. New barbed wire entanglements have been put up by the military during the past few days on the yard walls around the Dublin Police Courts.

THREATENING A PROCESS-SERVER.

A County Cavan small farmer, who is also a process server, residing at Swanlinbar, has received, according to an official report, a threatening letter, of which the following is a copy:—

Take notice, that you must give up all connection with summons, process, and writ service from this date. Remember if you serve one to-morrow it is at the peril of your own life, and if you get others to do the work for you your home will be burned to ashes and you will have no one to blame but yourself.

Signed, by Order of Sinn Fein,
Executive of Dail Eireann.

SHOOTING ACCIDENT IN NAAS.

Two young men were stopped by a patrol of Royal Irish Constabulary men in North Main street, Naas, on Wednesday night and searched. At the close of the search the revolver of one of the policemen dropped from its holster, causing a shot to go off, and he was wounded in the knee by a bullet. The man shouted, "It is an accident," thus assuring his companions that they had not been fired at in the dark. The injured man is progressing favourably in the military hospital.

IRISH RAILWAY CRISIS.

THE COUNCIL OF THE N.U.R.

REQUEST TO MR. J. H. THOMAS, M.P.

The Irish railway crisis continues to be in an acute stage, and inquiries in Dublin yesterday did not reveal any developments likely to indicate any relief of the situation. The feeling among the commercial classes is strongly in the direction of peace, and there is a hopeful sign in the fact that several influential trade unionists and members of the Railwaymen's Union do not conceal the fact that their sympathies lie in the same direction.

The conference of the Irish Council of the National Union of Railwaymen, at the offices in Beresford place, which had occupied the entire day on Wednesday, was resumed yesterday morning, and lasted until about 1 p.m. Mr. R. Hennessey (Inchicore Branch), Chairman of the Irish Council, presided, and those present included Messrs. James Bermingham, Irish Secretary; T. Ward (Belfast), J. O'Halloran (Newry), M. Dolan (Cork), P. Fahy (Sligo), M. Duffy (Athenry), M. O'Dwyer (Mullingar), and J. Gleeson, solicitor. The proceedings were conducted in private, but at the close of the meeting the following statement was officially supplied to the Press:—

"The Irish Council of the N.U.R., at their meeting held in Dublin to-day, in endorsing the English Labour Party resolution on the Irish question, on the motion of Messrs. Dwyer and Hennessey, requested Mr. J. H. Thomas, Parliamentary General Secretary of the Union, to support the policy of the English Labour Party, as put forward by Mr. Adamson, and endorsed by the special Irish Trades Union Congress in Dublin on the 16th November, with a view to putting an end to the present grave crisis existing in this country."

Interviewed by Press representatives yesterday, Mr. Bermingham said that the munitions question was one now solely for the railwaymen to carry out the resolution of the special Irish Trades Union Congress, and to decide among themselves whether an Irish Railwaymen's Congress might be called or a ballot of the members taken as to whether they were willing to continue the struggle. It is understood that the branches of the N.U.R. in Ireland will be circularised as to whether or not they will have a congress or a ballot on the question at issue.

The view seems to prevail among the railwaymen that a decision can be arrived at before it becomes necessary, through the depletion of staffs, for any of the Irish railway companies to close down its system.

LABOUR PARTY'S ATTITUDE.

Mr. Thomas Johnson, Secretary of the Irish Labour Party, in a statement to the Press yesterday, said:—"The National Executive of the Irish Labour Party have no power to compel railwaymen, or any other body of workers, to follow a particular line of policy. Having faced all the possible consequences, they have plainly given their advice that the refusal to carry armed men and munitions should be persisted in. They believe the country will rally to the support of this policy, and that all classes will be willing to share the sacrifice that will be called for. The Congress, by an overwhelming majority, endorsed this opinion, but agreed that, as the first sufferers would undoubtedly be the railwaymen, it did not desire to impose its will upon the railwaymen if they wished to alter their decision. We have no reason to believe that there will be any such change."

MORE TRAINS HELD UP.

The holding up of trains on all the railway systems running to the south and west of Dublin still continued yesterday.

On the Midland Great Western Railway four trains were held up yesterday, two of them being, as usual for several weeks past, at Athlone Station. The customary course was adopted by the company in dealing with the guards of all these trains. On inquiry at the Broadstone terminus, it was ascertained that live stock trains were run for the Dublin Cattle Market on the same scale as last week, and that, with the exception of some very small fairs, a service of cattle "specials" is being maintained for the fairs in towns over the system.

Yesterday two trains on the Great Southern and Western system were again boarded by military, the first being the Kildare to Kilkenny train in the morning, which connects with the 9.30 a.m. from the Kingsbridge. The train did not proceed beyond Kildare, where the "hold-up" occurred, as there would have been no guard available at Kilkenny to bring it back at 5.30 p.m. The passengers for Kilkenny were consequently held up at Kildare, and had a very unpleasant experience.

It is understood that the express from Cork to Dublin was held up at Newbridge in the afternoon.

Up to the present, about six hundred employés have been dismissed on the Great Southern and Western system as a result of the munitions strike, and a larger number have been disemployed through the discontinuance of trains. The company announce the discontinuance of eleven more trains daily on the system as a result of the existing conditions. The discontinued trains include the 9.15 a.m., Cork to Waterford; the 4.5 p.m., Mallow to Waterford; the 7.5 a.m., Lismore to Mallow; 10.45 a.m., Waterford to Mallow; 5.5 p.m., Waterford to Cork; 9.40 a.m., Rosslare Harbour to Waterford, and 8.15 p.m., Waterford to Rosslare Harbour. On the D. and S.E. line a train was again held up at Rathdrum yesterday.

THE FOOD SUPPLIES.

In connection with the food supplies, which will be jeopardised by the dislocation of the railway services, it is understood that the Central Emergency Food Committee in Dublin have appointed a deputation to wait on the directorates of the Irish railway companies. The members of the deputation will include the Lord Mayor of Dublin, the Lord Mayor of Cork, the Mayors of Limerick, Kilkenny, and other boroughs; the Chairman of the County Councils' General Council, and two representatives of the Irish Labour Party.

TRAIN DELAYED AT WATERFORD.

The 8.30 a.m. train, Waterford to Macmine Junction, on the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway, was delayed at Waterford yesterday morning. A party of armed military boarded the train, and the guard, James Dunphy, refused to give the signal to start. The military withdrew after ten minutes, and the train proceeded. The guard was subsequently dismissed.

LONGFORD RAILWAYMEN DEMAND BALLOT.

At a special meeting of the Longford Branch of the National Union of Railwaymen, held on Wednesday night, it was unanimously resolved: "That we, the members of the above branch, demand a ballot of all our members on the munitions question. A matter of such grave importance to the whole community, as well as to us railwaymen, should be sealed by the voice of the majority vitally concerned. Railwaymen, are there not as good brains in your own ranks as there are in any other Labour body? Copies of this resolution to be forwarded to J. H. Thomas, Irish Secretary, and all Irish branches."

THE RAILWAY GUARANTEE.

EFFECT OF DISTURBANCES.

Mr. A. Neal writes, in answer to Major Mackenzie Wood, that he is unable to say what the effect on the guarantee to the Irish railways will be in consequence of the stoppage or reduction of service on certain railways. As a result of the generally disturbed condition of Ireland, the financial equilibrium anticipated from the increase in rates and fares would not be secured, and there would be a liability in respect of the Irish railways. The Ministry of Transport was endeavouring to frame an estimate.

BELFAST AND DUBLIN LIMITED MAIL.

Mr. A. Neal, in a written reply to a question by Mr. Lindsay, concerning the inconvenience caused by the discontinuance of the limited mail trains between Belfast and Dublin, states that the detailed reduction of train services, in consequence of the miners' strike, was left in the hands of individual railway companies in Ireland, as well as in England. The reductions were not all put into force on the first day of the strike, but gradually, as seemed fit to the individual companies. No reinstatement of services at all took place until 8th November. The particular train referred to by the hon. member was reinstated on the 15th of this month.

GREAT SOUTHERN AND WESTERN RAILWAY SERVICE CURTAILED.

The Great Southern and Western Railway announce in our advertising columns the discontinuance of the following additional passenger trains owing to existing conditions:—10.30 a.m., Kildare to Kilkenny, connection off 9.30 a.m. from Kingsbridge; and 3.30 p.m., Kilkenny to Kildare and Kingsbridge.

THE MISSING CLERGYMAN.

SEARCHES BY THE POLICE.

Telegraphing at six o'clock yesterday evening, our Galway Correspondent says:—Up to the hour of writing no news has been heard of the whereabouts of the Rev. Michael Griffin, C.C., who has been missing from his home, Sea road, Galway, for four days. Police patrols have been sent out in all directions. An officer stated to-day that whilst the police would welcome the assistance of civilians who would conduct a search under police control, they could not tolerate any body of men usurping their functions. The news was conveyed to me to-day that the local Roman Catholic members of the Constabulary discussed the question of making a direct protest to the Bishop against any insinuation that they were in any way responsible for, or privy to, the abduction of a priest, which they deplore as deeply as anyone.

SPECIAL EXTRA.

NEW GREEK REGENT.

A Reuter telegram, dated Athens, Thursday, states that Parliament will meet next Thursday, when Queen Olga will be sworn in as Regent.

PRINCE ARTHUR OF CONNAUGHT.

A Reuter telegram, dated Capetown, Thursday, says—Prince and Princess Arthur of Connaught and the Earl of MacDuff, with their suite, departed for Pretoria this morning.

LIBERALS AND IRELAND.

It is understood (says the Press Association) that Lord Grey of Falloden, in the House of Lords debate next week, will show that complete agreement had been arrived at between him and Mr. Asquith as to the special safeguards necessary under the grant of Dominion Home Rule to Ireland.

The meeting of Independent Liberal members at Abingdon street, London, yesterday morning was attended by all the members of the party, except six whose absence was unavoidable. Sir Donald Maclean took the chair. There was a general discussion on the Irish question, in which Mr. Asquith took part.

ACQUIREMENT OF EMPTY HOUSES.

LABOUR MEMBER'S OUTBURST.

There was a dramatic scene in Standing Committee at the House of Commons yesterday morning, when one of the Labour members, in a burst of passion, charged those who were holding up empty houses at the present period with being guilty of murder. The Committee was discussing the Ministry of Health Bill, which gives local authorities power to compulsorily hire for housing purposes houses which have been empty for three months. Various amendments having been made to Clause 1, on the motion that it stand part of the bill, Mr. Hopkinson moved its rejection, arguing that it had been amended so that it was now useless.

Mr. Lorden contended that the effect of the clause was to facilitate the theft of private property, because it was theft when they prevented owners getting an economic return on their property. He reminded the Committee of the Commandments: "Thou shalt not steal" and "Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house."

Mr. Robert Richardson reminded Mr. Lorden of another Commandment: "Thou shalt not kill." The action of certain people in holding up habitable houses, he said, amounted to murder.

"Oh, nonsense!" retorted Mr. Lorden. "It is not nonsense," replied Mr. Richardson. "It is leading to scandalous overcrowding, with the consequence that children are dying; whole families are being crowded into single insanitary rooms, and others have no accommodation at all; and yet," continued the speaker, his clenched fist quivering with suppressed feeling, "hon gentlemen come here and tell us that we are robbing people of their rights when we try to force them to yield decent accommodation for men who have fought for them. Do let us try to do something for those men, as well as for those whose only achievements have been to make profits out of men's lives."

Dr. Addison endeavoured to soften feeling, and stated that those people who were holding up houses were neglecting their duty to the community; but Mr. Gwynne retorted that the Government were themselves holding up scores of houses which were not wanted, and were absolutely rotting. They could do a lot themselves by getting out of the houses they did not really want, and by making them available for housing.

Clause 1 was subsequently passed.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

QUESTION OF GERMANY'S ADMISSION.

A Reuter's Geneva telegram of Thursday says:—Perfect accord prevails between France and Great Britain regarding the acceptance of the League's decision respecting Danzig, as already drafted with certain modifications. Poland has been informed that, while the League is unable to accord to Poland the exclusive right of undertaking the military defence of Danzig, yet circumstances might arise in which the League would, naturally, wish Poland to undertake the defence. Military Commissions of the League have been ordered to examine the technical conditions involved in the defence of Danzig, and to report how such defence is to be carried out.

GERMANY AND THE LEAGUE.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. Lloyd George informed Mr. Raffan that the Government had no knowledge that any application would be made by Germany for admission to the League of Nations.

Mr. Raffan—Is the right hon. gentleman not aware that it is freely stated that Germany hesitates to apply for fear of a rebuff, and in view of that would the Government consider what steps should be taken?

Mr. Lloyd George—That is not the reason given in the German Reichstag.

THE MINERS AND INCREASED OUTPUT.

The Joint Committee representing the coal owners and the Executive of the Miners' Federation met again yesterday afternoon in London. The Committee sat for three hours, and an agreed joint statement issued at the close indicated that the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

"(1) That this Committee be appointed as a Provisional National Committee under the terms of settlement.

"(2) That in each district a District Committee should be forthwith set up where it does not already exist, and at once take into consideration the best method of securing the increased output of coal in the district, and for this purpose to secure the hearty co-operation of those engaged in the collieries."

This resolution will be communicated at once to the districts. A preliminary discussion took place on the scheme to be submitted to the Government for the future regulation of wages, and a further meeting was arranged for next week.

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS.

Mr. Macpherson, Minister of Pensions, has appointed a Departmental Committee "to enquire into the system and methods of administration of the Ministry of Pensions, with special reference to the working of the regional and local Committee systems, and the existing arrangements for the issue of pensions." The Chairman is Major Tryon, M.P. The only representative from Ireland is Mr. R. E. Westaway, Regional Director for Ulster.

THE IRISH PHILATELIC CLUB.

A special meeting of the Irish Philatelic Club and Exchange was held yesterday afternoon, Mr. G. Jameson Johnston presiding. The appointment of Dr. Stafford Johnson as hon. secretary and treasurer was confirmed. Major S. B. Wildman was added to the committee, and sixteen new members were elected. A bourse was held, and a very large number of stamps changed ownership. Arrangements were made to have regular meetings on fixed dates, the first and third Thursdays of the month. Special exhibits with lectures and demonstrations will be features of future meetings.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

The National Conference of Unions representing general workers in the brewing, malting, and bottling trades now in London, yesterday re-affirmed the decision to apply for an increase in wages by the end of January.

State Department officers at Washington declare that the United States will withhold recognition of Mexico until the latter State has made clear the effect which will be given to Article 27 of the Mexican Constitution relating to property in Mexico.

The War Office last night issued the names of 74 men of the 2nd Battalion Manchester Regiment, reported in the Mesopotamia casualty list on September 23rd as prisoners of war, and who have now been reported as having rejoined the British forces on October 19th.

The plans of American and Canadian bankers to take over loans of between forty and fifty million dollars, which the Cuban bankers hold against sugar growers, have now (says a New York telegram) been abandoned. It is stated that the failure of these negotiations is likely to result in the extension of the Cuban moratorium, which expires on the 30th inst.

At Norwich Fat Cattle Show yesterday the King took first prize for the older steer, first and second for steers between two and three years, a first for heifers, a second for Southdown lambs, and the President's prize for the best ox or steer. The Duke of Portland took the championship with the white shorthorn heifer, Welbeck Lass, weighing 16 cwt.

Forty thousand Crimean refugees have arrived at Constantinople (says a Reuter's telegram) on board some forty or fifty steamers, and many more are coming. The steamer Rion, with 7,000 refugees, broke down at sea, and the passengers suffered great privations from lack of food and water. The last news of General Wrangel is that he was still cruising off the Crimean coast picking up refugees.

An explosion occurred in the new heading of the Oakwood colliery, Pontrhydyfen, near Port Talbot, yesterday, where some men on the night shift were engaged shot firing. Three men, two being father and son, were killed outright, while three were removed to Aberavon Hospital in a precarious condition. Nine others were slightly injured. Two men are stated to be missing.

IRISH QUESTIONS IN PARLIAMENT.

TYPHOID AND GLANDERS.

A "HORRIFYING" PLOT.

REPUBLICAN ARMY CHIEFS "ON THE RUN."

STATEMENT BY SIR HAMAR GREENWOOD.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. Pennefather asked the Chief Secretary for Ireland whether his attention had been drawn to Press reports to the effect that evidence had been obtained of a Sinn Fein plot to infect the milk of the military with typhoid, and to convey glanders to the cavalry horses, and if he could give the House any information on the matter.

Sir Hamar Greenwood—A document was found in papers belonging to the Chief of the Staff of the Irish Republican Army which were captured during a recent raid. It contains a series of remarkable and, I think, horrifying statements with reference to the spread of typhoid fever among the troops and of glanders among the horses. I think the House would prefer me not to read it, but to publish it in the official report. (Cries of "Read.")

Mr. MacVeagh—It is a forgery; so it does not matter.

Mr. Devlin—A German plot.

Mr. MacVeagh—Who is the Chief of the Staff?

Sir Hamar Greenwood—The Chief of the Staff is "on the run," and so is the Commander-in-Chief. These papers were captured a few days ago.

Mr. MacVeagh—Where?

Sir Hamar Greenwood then read the document, which was "from the Commander-in-Chief of the Irish Republican Army to his Chief of Staff," and which stated that the writer "knew of no other ordinary disease which could, with safety to the rest of the population, be spread among the troops than typhoid. It was easy getting fresh and virulent cuttings. The best medium of conveying it was through milk. They could also be conveyed in water, but milk was far the best medium. As to whether milk was used, that could be investigated. The cans would have to get special attention after the infected milk had been emptied, as they could, in turn, convey the disease to the civil population. It should be possible to give horses glanders. The disease is got from harness and by putting a horse in a stable from which an infected horse has been removed. Therefore, it should be possible to pass the infection by means of doctoring the oats, and it should be possible to get the oats at railway stations, and so forth. Any doctor or veterinary surgeon would be able to tell how to grow the microbes. A couple of thousand horses infected would make a sensation." The document ended as follows:—"Give my regards to all. I hope the success will continue. I enjoyed visit, and will now feel in personal touch more than ever. God bless you all." (Laughter.)

Mr. Billing—You are telling them how to do it.

Mr. MacVeagh—Has one policeman or one soldier been poisoned, or one Army horse been infected in Ireland?

Mr. Devlin—Has not the whole thing been concocted in Dublin Castle? On the face of it the thing is a lie.

Sir Hamar Greenwood—This document, along with a number of other important documents, with covering letters from alleged officers of the Irish Republican Army, was captured the other night in a raid. (Cheers.)

Mr. MacVeagh—It is a sheer invention. You got Pennefather to put the question.

Mr. Sexton asked would the right hon. gentleman inform them how it was that such voluminous and extensive information could be got on private notice within a few hours, when it took days—(Hon. Members—"Weeks")—to get information to answer other questions.

Sir Hamar Greenwood—Because these important documents were brought over to me by courier specially.

THE WHITEGATE SHOOTINGS.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor asked the Chief Secretary for Ireland whether the report was true that four men were killed and two wounded at Whitegate, County Clare; whether the reason given for the killing of these men was that they were trying to escape from an escort near Killaloe; what instructions had been given to police and military escorts in reference to prisoners under arrest; and were orders given to kill before any warning was given and before any attempt was made to recapture the prisoners.

Sir Hamar Greenwood said that four men arrested at Scariff tried to escape on the road at 12.30 a.m. on the 17th, and were shot dead. He had no information as to the wounding of the other two men. The police and military were entitled to fire on prisoners who were attempting to escape, and who refused to halt when called upon to do so.

THE TIPPERARY BURNING.

Mr. Devlin asked whether the Chief Secretary's attention had been called to the published accounts of the burning and destruction of houses and property in Tipperary, involving one private dwellinghouse, a boarding house, a shop and private house, and five shops, as well as the smashing of windows and the looting of a jeweller's store; whether all business places in the town were compelled to remain closed during the whole of Monday and until midday on Wednesday; and whether, in view of the later reports to hand, he still persisted in the statement that there was not a word of truth in the telegram from the Town Clerk of Tipperary that the town was being burned and wrecked.

Sir Hamar Greenwood replied that he had not seen any statement. He stood by the statement he made on Tuesday. There was no burning of property on that day. There was no trouble of any kind in the town on Tuesday.

Mr. Adamson asked the Chief Secretary whether he was aware that the Town Clerk of Tipperary had confirmed the absolute truth of his previous telegram, and whether, in view of the contradictory statement from Dublin Castle on Tuesday, that Tipperary was perfectly quiet, he would have further inquiry made.

Sir Hamar Greenwood—I will inquire if the right hon. gentleman wishes, but I would point out that the Town Clerk's telegram stated that Tipperary was being burned down on Tuesday last, but Tipperary is still there. (Great laughter.)

THE OFFICERS KIDNAPPED AT WATERFALL.

Mr. Churchill, replying to Mr. Pennefather, said that he had information of the capture by the rebels from a train of Captain Green, Captain Chambers, Lieutenant Watts, and an officer of the Royal Engineers at Waterfall, County Cork. He understood that Captain Green and Lieutenant Watts might have been witnesses of a murder of a police sergeant, and that Captain Chambers was the principal witness again Father O'Donnell, who was arrested in October, 1919, for seditious speeches. Presumably these were the reasons why they were kidnapped. Certain restrictions as to the use of motor vehicles were now in force, and he understood that further drastic restrictions would come into operation on December 1. These officers had not been released.

THE AMERICAN INQUIRY.

Mr. Lloyd George, replying to Mr. Charles White, said that his attention had been called to the inquiry into reprisals in Ireland which had been set up in the United States of America. So far as he was aware, His Majesty's Ambassador at Washington had received no request to give evidence.

DISTURBANCES IN BELFAST.

Mr. Moles asked whether the Chief Secretary was aware that at mid-day on the 17th inst. a mob, shouting, "Up, the rebels!" "Up, the Fenians!" attacked the Duncairn Schools, in

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Belfast, in which there were 300 children, smashed the windows, and terrorised the children; whether they returned a few minutes later with arms fired a number of volleys into the school; in the imminent peril of the children; whether shops in the neighbourhood were wrecked; whether police and military had to beat off the assailants; and whether any arrests had been made.

Sir Hamar Greenwood—I have just received the following wire from Belfast:—"Twenty roughs who marched from Lepper street to Astrim road about noon yesterday on reaching Edlingham street threw stones at people at the corner of that street. A man fired a revolver shot, and the crowd retreated, but soon returned with reinforcements and fired shots at the opposition crowd, who are alleged to have returned the fire. No one was injured. The damage consisted of the breaking of a street lamp and a plain glass window in the houses of one Unionist and one Nationalist. No injury was done to the school. No arrests were made. Military, with an armoured car, and police hurried to the scene. No further trouble. The police did not hear anyone repeating the cry 'Remember Balbriggan.' Up, the Fenians!" Strong police patrols remained in the vicinity."

ARDFERT CREAMERY.

Sir Hamar Greenwood informed Mr. Watson that the premises of the Co-operative Creamery at Ardfert were searched for arms and ammunition and for persons evading arrest. On the 5th inst. a party of police were ambushed at Ardfert. Some of attackers were subsequently to run towards a stable, and it was thought that they had taken cover within. The police approached the stable and fired through the door, and on entering found that a horse had been shot.

THE "TRUCE OF GOD."

Lord Henry Cavendish-Bentinck asked the Prime Minister if he would take into consideration the declaration by the Catholic Archbishop of Tuam, that an immediate truce of God was possible if the first move was made by the Government, and that serious strife would cease if the Government introduced a measure of full Home Rule, including full fiscal control.

Mr. Lloyd George said that he was sure that there was a general desire for peace, both in Great Britain and Ireland, which the Government fully shared, but the first step towards peace must be the cessation of the attempts to overthrow the reign of law by the use of murder and assassination.

Mr. Devlin—Does the right hon. gentleman think that a reign of law is established by a conspiracy to destroy the property and lives of innocent civilian citizens in Ireland? Is that a reign of law or a reign of Bonar Law? (Laughter.)

Mr. Lloyd George—I am not aware of any conspiracy of that kind, except the conspiracy of those murderous people who form murderer gangs for the purpose of attacking and killing the agents of the law in Ireland. It is our business to frustrate them up.

THE IRISH PEACE CONFERENCE.

Lord Henry Cavendish Bentinck asked the Prime Minister whether he had declined to receive a deputation appointed to convey to him the resolutions passed by the Irish Peace Conference, an assembly widely representative of moderate opinion in Ireland, which met in Dublin on the 24th August, in response to his invitation.

Mr. Lloyd George said that he had not declined to receive such a deputation.

Lord Henry Cavendish Bentinck—Will the right hon. gentleman receive the deputation?

Mr. Lloyd George—I do not think it desirable that I should not agree to pin myself in regard to time. I do not think much would be gained at the present moment by receiving it.

COURT-MARTIAL FOR POLICE.

Sir Hamar Greenwood informed Mr. Kiley that the nine constables under arrest in Ireland, "charged with murder, looting, felony, and conduct prejudicial to good order," would be tried by court-martial in accordance with Section 48 of the Army Act.

ATTACKS ON CREAMERIES.

Replying to a question by Mr. Adamson, Sir Hamar Greenwood said that, according to a report he had received, the store-house of the Abbeyfeale Creamery was burned down on the night of 15th October, but no clue could be obtained as to the identity of the persons who committed this destruction. The manager of the creamery alleged that he had been assaulted, but the police had no information as to this beyond his own statement, or as to the alleged removal of quantities of butter and cheese. With reference to a Moycullen (co. Galway) incident, where, it was alleged in the question, that a mixed force, consisting of police and military, forced an assistant, the Chief Secretary said that he was informed that a mixed force of police and military visited the town on the 18th October, while searching for a schoolmaster, had to be pacified and quieted by his being friendly disposed towards the police. The kidnapping party were reported to be halted near the creamery, but they assembled at the house named, but it appeared the manager and his assistants, on being questioned, refused to give any information, and the manager ran towards the back of the premises. The suspicions of the police were excited by this movement, and, on his refusing to stop, a shot was fired from a shot gun, wounding him with pellets in the hip and neck. His assistants were not flogged. The missing schoolmaster had not yet been found, and grave fears were entertained for his safety.

Sir Hamar Greenwood, in reply to Mr. MacVeagh, said that he had nothing to add to a previous reply with reference to attacks made by uniformed men on a number of creameries in different parts of Ireland. A number of inquiries were proceeding, and he was not in a position to give a detailed account, but hoped to be able to do so in a few days.

Replying to Mr. Charles White, who asked the Chief Secretary whether he could state the result of the inquiries into the origin of the burning of the co-operative creamery at Littleton, following the capture of the Littleton Police Barrack on the 31st ult., when the police were not maltreated in any way, and what steps were being taken to bring the persons concerned in the destruction of the creamery to trial.

Sir Hamar Greenwood said that he was not yet in position to give any further information regarding the matter.

THE DEATH OF MRS. QUINN.

Sir Hamar Greenwood, replying to Major McKenzie Wood, said that he had no information to the effect that "A Government Chief Constable had asked to take a statement from Mrs. Quinn, who was killed by a shot from a motor lorry. He had a report from the head constable, from which it appeared that he twice visited Mrs. Quinn's house after the injury was received. On the first occasion Mrs. Quinn was being attended by the doctor, and on the second occasion she was unconscious.

Mr. MacVeagh asked whether the right hon. gentleman had seen the published statement of the parish priest that he had twice asked the head constable to take a statement from the dying woman, and that the head constable refused.

Sir Hamar Greenwood said that he had read a letter to that effect in the *Westminster Gazette*, taken from the *Irish Bulletin*. If it was so, and if the priest made this request to the head constable, all he could say was that none of the constables take their orders from priests. (Cries of "Oh.")

SHOOTING AT HEDGEROWS.

Replying to Mr. Moseley, Sir Hamar Greenwood said that the police and military in Ireland, after several bitter experiences, had at times adopted the method of firing into dense clumps of hedgerows, or trees where ambushes were likely to be placed, in the hope of either dislodging any assailants who might be lying in wait, or of causing them to disclose themselves before they came to short range. They were willingly supply the police with armoured cars if it were possible to do so, and if such cars would perform the work required of a police lorry.

THE FORCES IN IRELAND.

Mr. Churchill writes, in reply to Major Barnes, that the strength of the forces stationed in Ireland on 1/11-14 was approximately 60,000 all ranks, and the cost 2½ millions per annum, equal, at present prices, to nearly six millions. The strength in December, 1919, was 43,000, all ranks, costing 4½ millions per annum.

AUXILIARY CHARGED WITH LARCENY.

Mr. Devlin asked the Chief Secretary whether he was aware that at a Special Court in Kilkenny on Tuesday, 9th inst., before Mr. T. D. Sullivan, Resident Magistrate, Major Ewan Bruce, formerly a member of the Auxiliary Police Force, stationed in Innistioge, Co. Kilkenny, was charged in custody at the suit of District Inspector Baynham, Callan, with the larceny of £75 from Kells Creamery on the night of the 10th October; whether the case was originally before the court on Thursday, 28th October, but after evidence had been gone into that day the Intelligence Officer at the military barracks, Kilkenny, communicated with the Press, and informed them that they would not be allowed to publish the details of the evidence; whether he was aware that at the subsequent sitting of the court Mr. Sullivan, the Resident Magistrate, said that he had been handed a note from the Press, asking if the proceedings might be reported; to this he replied that it was a public court, that there was no censorship so far as he was aware; that there was nothing whatever to prevent the Press from reporting anything they might think fit, and that the proceedings of a Court of Justice were always public except in very exceptional circumstances; and whether, in view of this statement, the right hon. gentleman could state on what authority the military officer acted in forbidding the publication of this important case in the Press.

Sir Hamar Greenwood referred to a previous reply, and added that he was informed that the officer in question did not purport to prohibit the publication of the proceedings, but pointed out that as the accused was awaiting trial by courtmartial it would be indesirable to publish the proceedings before the Resident Magistrate.

MISS ANITA McMAHON.

Replying to Major Watts Morgan, Sir Hamar Greenwood stated that Miss Anita McMahon, Achill, had been sentenced by courtmartial. The documents in respect of which she was convicted definitely connected her with the organisation of the so-called Irish Republican Army. Miss M'Mahon was being treated in accordance with the ordinary rules for the treatment of persons sentenced to imprisonment without hard labour.

Lieutenant-Commander Kenworthy—Is she being prosecuted for being a member of Sinn Fein, and does the right hon. gentleman still say that people are not prosecuted for their political opinions in Ireland?

Sir Hamar Greenwood—I do not say that at all.

COURTMARTIAL IN DUBLIN.

POSSESSION OF ARMS AND AMMUNITION.

A TEMPLEOGUE INCIDENT.

A district courtmartial assembled at Marlborough Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, when an elderly man named Mr. J. O'Beirne, National Foresters' Hall, Blackhall street, Dublin, was charged with being in possession of a revolver on the 23rd October.

Mr. James Cawley (instructed by Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.) appeared for the accused, who pleaded not guilty.

A lieutenant gave evidence of arrest, and, in reply to Mr. Cawley, said that accused offered no violence. Before witness spoke the accused said: "I suppose you are arresting me for having a disused revolver." The mechanism of the revolver was in working order, but he was not capable of saying whether it was serviceable or not. It certainly had a rusty appearance. He made no concealment from beginning to the end that the revolver was in his possession.

Accused's son, aged twelve years, a pupil at Glasnevin Orphanage, said that he was sowing cabbage in a field attached to the school about eight months ago, and found the revolver, which was rusty. When his father visited him a few days afterwards he gave him the revolver and asked him to take it home.

Mr. Hugh McCarthy, superintendent in the Educational Department of the Corporation, said that he knew accused for twenty-one years, and his character was exceptionally good. He never knew the accused to be associated with any political or revolutionary movement. The accused only minded his business.

The President—Don't you think it surprising that a man of his age and knowledge should keep a clamn thing like that? I am very much surprised.

The Prosecutor said that he was prepared to accept that the offence was a technical one.

The Court closed.

FATHER AND SON CHARGED.

An elderly man named Charles Vaughan and his son Charles, of Mountain View, Templeogue, were charged with having three revolvers, 79 rounds of revolver ammunition, and one sporting cartridge in their possession on 30th October.

Mr. J. C. R. Lardner (instructed by Messrs. Corrigan and Corrigan) appeared for accused, who pleaded not guilty.

A military witness stated that he raided the house of the accused on October 30th. Witness asked Mr. Vaughan, senior, to come into the back yard, and then ordered some of the men to search two piles of wood. A tin was then handed to witness which contained 80 rounds of ammunition—all revolver ammunition, except one sporting cartridge. A bundle of hay was also pulled out from under the wood. The hay contained a large tin, in which were three revolvers—one Colt and two pinfires (produced). Both accused stated to witness that they had never seen them before.

In reply to Mr. Lardner, witness said that it would be possible for anyone to conceal articles in the pile, given the time and opportunity.

Mr. Lardner, for the defence, admitted that the things were there. His clients, he said, were charged with having and keeping, but there was not sufficient material to convict.

The Court found both prisoners not guilty, and they were discharged.

CHARGE AGAINST BROTHERS.

Two brothers named Thomas O'Connor and Michael O'Connor, residing at 25 Iveagh Trust Buildings, Dublin, were tried for having in their possession on the 23rd October one revolver and ammunition.

Mr. Gerald Byrne and Co.) appeared for the accused, who pleaded not guilty.

Sergeant Lynch, who marched from Lepper street to Astrim road about noon yesterday on reaching Edlingham street threw stones at people at the corner of that street. A man fired a revolver shot, and the crowd retreated, but soon returned with reinforcements and fired shots at the opposition crowd, who are alleged to have returned the fire. No one was injured. The damage consisted of the breaking of a street lamp and a plain glass window in the houses of one Unionist and one Nationalist. No injury was done to the school. No arrests were made. Military, with an armoured car, and police hurried to the scene. No further trouble. The police did not hear anyone repeating the cry 'Remember Balbriggan.' Up, the Fenians!" Strong police patrols remained in the vicinity."

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Michael O'Connor, who was not professionally represented, stated that he was a soldier of the Irish Republic, and refused to recognise the Court.

A lieutenant proved to taking part in a raid at C Block, Iveagh Buildings, on the morning of the 23rd October. On searching room No. 59 he discovered a box, which was locked. Upon opening it found a service revolver (produced), eight rounds of revolver ammunition, and 53 rounds of S.A.A. in a box, also a Sinn Fein uniform equipment.

Michael O'Connor stated that he was a soldier of the Irish Republic. The box and contents were his, and his brother knew no more about them than the Court. "because it was no use," he added, "we do not tell our business to everyone. We keep things to ourselves."

The Court found Thomas O'Connor not guilty, and he was released. Sentence will be promulgated in the case of Michael O'Connor.

THE LIMERICK MURDER CHARGE

The trial by general courtmartial of James O'Neill and Patrick Blake, of Limerick, on a charge of the murder of Constable Walter Ockley, R.I.C., at Limerick on the 29th July last, was to have been resumed yesterday morning, but had to be postponed until this morning at ten o'clock. Members of the Court and the professional gentlemen engaged in the case assembled at the hour named, but it appeared that the witnesses for the defence through some misapprehension could not arrive in time. There are some eighteen witnesses to be examined on behalf of the accused. The trial will not in all likelihood conclude before Saturday evening.

THE AEROPLANE ACCIDENT AT WATERFORD.

The names of the officers injured in the aeroplane accident at Waterford on Wednesday are Lieutenants Briggs and McKichan, of the Aerodrome, Fermoy. The medics report states that Lieutenant Briggs has multiple wounds of a very severe type. They have been transferred to the Fermoy Military Hospital. The important parts of the aeroplane have been salvaged, and the examination portion of the wireless will follow. Some of the rescue party were overcome by the escaping petrol fumes. Civilians who aided in the work of rescue have been specially commended by the military authorities.

AEROPLANE FORCED TO DESCEND IN CO. LIMERICK.

An aeroplane flying from the Clare direction, presumably to Limerick, on Wednesday evening had to descend at Cratloe owing to engine trouble. The descent was successfully accomplished. The military authorities were communicated with, and a guard was placed in charge of the aeroplane.

REMARKABLE LONDON SLANDER ACTION.

LADY'S EFFORTS IN PSYCHICAL RESEARCH.

A remarkable action for slander came before the Lord Chief Justice and a special jury in the King's Bench Division, London, yesterday, the parties being prominently connected with psychical research circles. The plaintiff was Miss Marguerita Radclyffe-Hall, of Chipchase, Middlesex, and she sued Mr. St. George Lane Fox Pitt, of South Eaton place, for damages for slander.

Plaintiff's case was that she was desirous of being adopted a member of the Council of the Society of Psychical Research. It was alleged that defendant said—"Admiral Sir Ernest Troubridge has recently been home on leave, and, in my presence, made serious allegations against her. He said that she had wrecked his home." The defence was a plea that the statements made were not meant maliciously, but in the interests of everybody concerned. Sir Ellis Hume Williams, K.C., for the plaintiff, in opening the case, said that Miss Radclyffe-Hall, whose means were large, took Lady Troubridge, wife of Admiral Sir Ernest Troubridge, away for a holiday. The Admiral, approving, also took them some on terms of friendship with the plaintiff, and called her by her pet name of "John." It was suggested that Lady Troubridge should make her home with the plaintiff at Datchet. The ladies became interested in psychical research, and wrote to Sir Oliver Lodge about the question, and he suggested that they should join the Society. Joining the Society, the ladies proceeded to make investigations. They employed a medium, and endeavoured to get into communication with the spirits of the dead. They did that with open minds, and they placed the results of their investigations into a paper that they wrote jointly. In November, 1919, said counsel, there arose serious differences between the Admiral and Lady Troubridge. He went down to Datchet, and there was an unpleasant scene, which resulted in a deed of separation being executed.

Questioned by defendant, who appeared in person, on extracts from her paper, plaintiff was asked about "Feda," and explained that information was obtained through Feda, but she would be sorry to pronounce on what Feda was.

Lord Chief Justice—Then I may take it that Feda is the medium in trance.

Asked about a reference to A.V.D. having arrested a horse belonging to plaintiff, which went lame, had to be shot, and had also gone over to the spirit world, and that A.V.D. was learning to ride it, witness replied that she only put on record what the medium said. Defendant put to plaintiff other extracts referring to somebody in the spirit world who said that she was enjoying bathing, and to A.V.D. obtaining a house by vibration.

The hearing was adjourned.

PARLIAMENT.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF BILL.

SECOND READING PASSED.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. Munro, Secretary for Scotland, moved the second reading of the Unemployment Relief Works Bill. There was, he said, no problem more grave, more urgent, or more menacing than that of unemployment. In spite of the efforts of the Minister of Labour, there was a very large number of ex-Service men still unemployed. The bill did not profess to solve the problem of unemployment, but it was a sincere and honest attempt to make a contribution to the solution. There were two operative provisions in the bill. The first enabled local authorities, and any appropriate Government department, to acquire and utter upon land compulsorily for the purpose of executing works of public utility, with a view to finding immediate employment for those who were unemployed. The phrase "works of public utility" would embrace the construction or improvement of roads, or means of transit; the widening or improvement of water courses, the construction of sewers or waterworks, the reclamation or drainage of land, and any work connected therewith. Powers corresponding to those enjoyed by the Ministry of Health, by which they were enabled to enter upon land which they required for housing, were conferred by the bill on the appropriate Government department, and local authorities throughout the country. He hoped that many arrangements would be made voluntarily, without the necessity to exercise compulsory powers. The Ministry of Transport had already schemes in being, and directly the bill received the Royal Assent they would be put into operation expeditiously. The bill enabled local authorities to contribute to works of public utility, even if executed outside their own area, while two local authorities might combine in the work, on terms to be agreed upon.

SIR DONALD MACLEAN.

Sir Donald Maclean submitted that unemployment could not be altogether dissociated from the policy of the Government, both at home and abroad. (Hear, hear.) He said that if we were doing business with Russia, and if the policy of the Government with regard to extravagance were to be at once reversed, the necessity for this bill would not be so great. As things were, however, the measure was necessary. He complained that the bill was one of the worst examples of legislation by reference that had ever been produced, while the Government were also taking to themselves the right to alter Acts of Parliament—which was a matter for the House itself. (Hear, hear.) He asked what was likely to be the cost of the scheme. No one grudged the money necessary to deal with a matter of vital urgency, but they should know what they were being committed to.

General Seely said that arrears of work were to be found all around our coasts. Our sea defences had been neglected. We should improve our sea communications and external waterways, and see to the deepening and straightening of the channels.

Captain Elliott said that he feared that the Government were entering on a programme of unproductive work, and were running the risk, not of mitigating, but of increasing unemployment. He pointed to the need for a greater production of bricks and cement in England.

Mr. Sexton said that the spectre of unemployment was no longer a spectre, but was clothed with flesh and blood. In industry after industry there were six men looking for one man's job. There were ex-Service men who were only getting one or two days' work a week, and there were scores of dead soldiers who were on the verge of starvation.

MR. NEAL.

Mr. Neal (Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Transport) said that there was a very great change of the position of unemployment being aggravated. The figures, however, were not alarming. The matter, no doubt, was one of urgency, but it was not one of panic or undue anxiety. The Government considered that ex-Service men had a special claim upon the nation. A Committee of the Cabinet had been considering the problem for some time, and had explored many schemes in the hope of finding a satisfactory solution. They did not regard the scheme in the bill as ideal, but the whole subject required time for consideration. He did not think the scheme would be found without delay. The Government desired that a preferential treatment should be given to ex-Service men under the scheme, but there was nothing to bar local authorities from finding employment for others who needed it.

Mr. Watterson and Colonel Allen supported the bill, and it was read a second time.

CRIME IN IRELAND.

A GOVERNMENT SURVEY.

THE HUNGER-STRIKE.

A survey of Irish affairs for the week ended the 15th instant, issued from Dublin Castle, states:—

The wave of violent crime which followed the death of the Lord Mayor of Cork appears to have spent its force, and the number and gravity of outrages shows that the country has been much less disturbed than during the previous fortnight. The principal outrages for the week are, in fact, lower than for any previous week during the past three months, and indicate that the rise of the preceding fortnight was merely the temporary expression of a steady decline in outrage and violence. A gratifying feature is the reduction in the number of police casualties, which fell from 34 killed and wounded to 10. The latter figure includes no mortal casualties, but four of these were sustained in a single outrage which occurred on the 13th instant, when a police motor car was ambushed near Lisvarnane (co. Tipperary), and the occupants were the cases of constables who were dragged from a train and murdered when returning from Limerick at Ballybrack Railway Station (Castleisland district, Co. Kerry), on the 9th instant. Apart from the Lisvernane affair the attempted ambushes of police patrols were all beaten off without serious casualties to the police. In one case, at least, with severe punishment to the attackers, two of whom are reported to have been killed, a number wounded, and seven taken prisoners.

Two police barracks were destroyed during the week, and one damaged. No attacks were made on occupied barracks.

Raids on mails fell from 30 to 23, and raids for arms from nine to four.

The number of arrests for outrages and political offenses increased from 49 to 102.

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THE POLICE FORCES.

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THE BRITISH LABOUR PARTY AND IRELAND.

We are asked to state that there were two dissentients from the resolution passed at the Labour Congress and Irish Labour Party in Dublin on Tuesday last in reference to the English Labour Party's policy regarding an Irish settlement. Mr. P. Gaffney, of Carlow, was one of the dissentients.

TO KEEP BABY WARM.

To protect baby from the cold and damp of winter, the Baby Linen and Blouse Shop, Sandycove, shows a splendid line of Carrying Shawls, which, at the special price of 12s. 11½d. each, are a marvellous value. Mrs. Durgan has made a feature of comfortable clothing for baby.—(Advt.)

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.

A meeting of the Chapter of Christ Church Cathedral was held in the Chapter House on Tuesday, the Dean in the chair. The following were present:—Rev. Precentor Hogan, D.D.; Rev. Canon Hoe Kennedy, B.D.; Rev. Treasures Stoney, D.D.; Canons F. C. Hayes, G. D. Scott, J. A. Jennings, C. P. Price, B.D.; J. Pim, B.D.; H. B. Thompson, B.D.; Rev. W. R. Browne, and Rev. W. W. Dungan, Secretary. At Evensong, the Rev. J. Pavey Phair, Incumbent of Christ Church, Leeson Park, was installed a Canon of the Cathedral.

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The Grand Duke Dmitri has left London for the Continent.

The Duchess of Somerset is suffering from an attack of influenza, and has had to cancel all her engagements for the next fortnight.

The Earl of Meath is confined to his house in London with a heavy cold.

Lord Killanin left Dublin yesterday for London.

Sir Walter and Lady Nugent have taken a house in Northbrook road, Dublin, for the winter.

Lady Tate has left Dublin for England.

Chrysanthemum Show, in aid of Meath and Dun's Hospitals, at the Moorings, Merrion road, to-day and to-morrow (Saturday), 3 to 6 p.m. Admission 2s. (including tea).

Switzers are making a special display of Topical and Novelty Calendars in their Grafton street windows this week.—Switzer and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Charming Afternoon Gowns, good quality French Velveteen, long sleeves, new round neck, embroidered, Black and Colours, 59s. 6d.; also lovely little Crepe-de-Chene Dance Frocks, 49s. 6d., 59s. 6d., 3½ guineas—At Holmes', George's street.

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CLOSING PRICES.

Fng. Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Wed.	Thur.	Business Done H.	L.
153¾	U.S. New 4% Loan	105⅝	105⅝	—	—
119	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	82½	82¼	—	—
112¾	Do. Preference	77	77	—	—
122⅞	Do. 4% Con. Bonds	84⅝	84⅝	—	—
56½	Baltimore & Ohio	38⅛	39	—	—
167½	Canadian Pacific	115	115	—	—
[illegible]	Chesap'ke Ohio Com.	60⅞	61	—	—
51⅞	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	35½	35⅝	—	—
142	Chicago & N.-West.	77⅞	77⅛	—	—
145⅞	Do. Preferred	100	100	—	—
[illegible]	Erie 1st Preferred	23	23	—	—
65⅞	Do. 4% Gl. Lien Bds.	45	44¾	—	—
[illegible]	Gt. Northern Pref.	79⅞	78	—	—
122	Illinois Central	87	85	—	—
71	Lehigh Valley	49⅝	49½	—	—
145⅞	Louisville & Nashville	100	100	—	—
[illegible]	Miss'ri, Kan. & Texas	3⅝	3½	—	—
53	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd. B	38⅛	37	—	—
32	Missouri Pacific New	23	22¼	—	—
12	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	8½	8	—	—
8	Do. 2nd Pref.	5⅞	5⅞	—	—
108	N.Y. Cl. & Hudson R.	75⅝	74⅝	—	—
140	Norfolk & Westn. Com.	95⅞	96½	—	—
140	Northern Pacific Com.	85⅞	85⅞	—	—
27	Ontario & Western	18⅞	19	—	—
[illegible]	Pennsylvania Shares	40⅞	40⅝	—	—
[illegible]	Reading Shares	87⅞	86⅝	—	—
[illegible]	Do. 1st Preferred	54	54	—	—
123	Do. 4% Mt. Bonds	85	84⅞	—	—
35	Southern Railway	24⅞	24⅞	—	—
158	Southern Pacific	108⅞	109⅞	—	—
32	Texas & Pacific	21⅞	22	—	—
172	Union Pacific	119	118⅞	—	—
99	Do. Pref.	64⅞	64	—	—
11 2	Do. 4% Bonds	80⅞	80⅞	—	—
[illegible]	Wabash Common	9	9	—	—
[illegible]	Do. Preferred A	24⅞	24⅞	—	—
[illegible]	Amr. Smlt. Refin. Com.	47⅞	47	—	—
87	Anaconda Copper	40⅞	40⅞	—	—
26	British-American Tob.	11⅞	11	—	—
[illegible]	N.Y. Cons. Gas	80⅞	79	—	—
[illegible]	General Electric	118⅞	120⅞	—	—
[illegible]	U.S. Steel Common	81⅞	80⅞	—	—
[illegible]	Do. 1st Preferred	105⅞	105⅞	—	—
134	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	92⅞	92	—	—
[illegible]	River Foreign Mined	78⅞	78	—	—
[illegible]	Do. (U.S. mixed) Ref	99⅞	99⅞	—	—
17	Inter. M.M. Com. Cts.	13⅞	12	—	—
17	Do. Prefd. Certs.	51⅞	46	—	—
67	Royal Dutch Oil	69	68	—	—
99	Shell Transport	45	46	—	—
230	Mexican Petroleum	160	158⅞	—	—
108	Pan-American Pet.	75⅞	74⅞	—	—
—	General Motors	13⅞	13	—	—
—	U.S. Rubber	59⅞	59	—	—

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	Wednesday.	Thursday.
Call Money	6b. 7a.	6b. 7a.
Ex. on Lond'n, 60 days' sight	3.42.12½	3.38.25
Ex. on Lond'n, Demand Bills	3.47.12½	3.42.75
Cable Transfers	3.47.87½	3.43.50
Ex on Montreal	3.88.75	3.87.00
Cotton, Middling, Upland	18.75	18.05
Do. New Orleans, Middl'g	17.80	17.25
Cotton Seed Oil, P. Summer, Yellow Spot	10.50	Nom.
Cotton Seed Oil, Yellow, Jan.	10.10	9.05
Petroleum, Refined, in cases	26.50	26.50
Do. Standard, White	24.50	24.50
Do. Philadelph., Stan. do.	24.50	24.50
Do. Pennsylvania, Crude	6.10	6.10
Spirits of Turpentine	102	103
Do. Savannah	87	87—89
Resin, Grade K	11.00	11.00
Do. Grade F	11.00	11.00
Lard, Prime Western Steam	21.00	20.45
Do. Midland West	19.00—50	19.50—60
Tallow, Special	8	8
Sugar, 96 Test, Centrifugal	6.51	6.26
Corn, Western, No. 2 Mixed	98⅝	96⅝
Wheat, No. 2 Hard Winter	213⅝	210
Do. No. 2 Red, Winter	213⅝	210
Do. No. 2 Mixed Durum	213⅝	210
Coffee, Rio No. 7	7⅝	7½
Flour, Spring Clears	8.00—8.75	8.00—8.75
Iron, No. 2 North'n Foundry	44.00—45	44.00—45
Tin, Straits	37.87½	37.62½
Zinc, East St. Louis	6.30	6.30
Electrolytic Copper, Spot	14½	14½
Do. do. Futures, July	14½—15	14½—15
Freight, Heavy Grain, to U. Kingdom, per quarter	10/0	10/0
Freight, Heavy Grain, to Continent, per quarter	35c.	35c.
Freight, Cotton, to Liverpool (high density)	115	115
Do. Standard (per 100lbs.)	140	140

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Par Equiv	Stocks and Shares.	Closing Prices Thur.	
107½	Asbestos Corp. of Canada	83	—
45½	Brazilian Traction, L. & P. Co.	35⅝	—
42	Canadian Car & Foundry Co.	33	—
100	Do. Preferred	78	—
72½	Canada Cement Co	56	—
61	Canada Steamship Lines Co.	49⅝	—
91	Do. Preferred	71	—
60	Dominion Steel Corp. Co.	47	—
146	Dominion Textile Co.	113	—
179	Lake of the Woods Milling Co.	139	—
118	Laurentide Co.	91⅝	—
102	Montreal Lt. Heat, & Po'r Con.	79	—
257	Ogilvie Flour Mills Co.	199	—
133	Shawinigan Water & Power Co.	103	—
105	Spanish River P'p & P'r Mills	81⅝	—
111	Do. Preferred	86⅝	—
78	Steel Company of Canada	61	—

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, THURSDAY.

WHEAT opened easy, 1½c. to 2c. down; then rallied temporarily under small country offerings and commission house buying; but again relapsed owing to the weakness of outside markets and a disappointing export and outside demand. After some late covering the market closed barely steady at 3½c. to 3⅝c. decline. Spot dull. No. 2 hard winter, spot, nominal; No. 3 hard winter, spot, nominal. December, 180¾; March, 169¾.

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OATS easy, ⅛c. to ½c. lower. December, 46⅞; May, 51⅞.

PROVISIONS opened easy, and declined in the early dealings on a lower hog market and selling by grain people; then partially recovered owing to fair cash demand and covering operations. Market closed barely steady, with lard 30 to 12½ down, pork 20 up, and ribs 10 points down. Lard—November, 19.35; January, 15.22½; May, 14.60. Pork—January, 23.75. Ribs—January, 12.90.

BACON strong, 50 to 100 points up.

HOGS weak, 50 to 55 points cheaper.

	Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted Loose.	HOGS. Light.		Heavy.	
To-day	14.00	16.50	11.60	12.30	11.90	12.3
Previous day	13.50	15.50	12.50	12.85	12.50	12.9

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.

A meeting of the Chapter of Christ Church Cathedral was held in the Chapter House on Tuesday, the Dean in the chair. The following were present:—Rev. Precentor Hogan, B.D.; Rev. Chancellor Kennedy, B.D.; Rev. Treasurer Stoney, D.D.; Canons F. C. Hayes, G. D. Scott, J. A. Jennings, C. P. Price, B.D.; J. Pim, B.D.; H. B. Thompson, B.D.; Rev. W. R. Browne, and Rev. W. W. Dungan, Secretary. At Evensong, the Rev. J. Percy Phair, Incumbent of Christ Church, Leeson Park, was installed a Canon of the Cathedral.

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PROSPECTUS.

The special permission of the Committee of the Stock Exchange to deal in the Notes will be applied for.

The LIST of APPLICATIONS for PURCHASE will CLOSE on or before the 24th day of NOVEMBER, 1920.

THE EBBW VALE STEEL, IRON AND COAL COMPANY, LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1862.)

SHARE CAPITAL:

	Authorised and Issued.
7 per Cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each	£1,200,000
Ordinary Shares of £1 each	2,500,000
6 per Cent. Debentures (outstanding), £1,010,000.	£3,700,000

OFFER FOR SALE OF £1,500,000 8 per cent. Seven-Year Notes at 98½ per cent. repayable at par,

Being part of a total issue of £3,000,000, whereof £1,500,000 have been applied for firm at 98½ per cent. and will be allotted and paid for pari passu with the Notes of this offer. THE NOTES WILL BE REGISTERED AND TRANSFERABLE IN DENOMINATIONS OF £25, £50, £100, and £500.

The Company reserves the right at any time after the 1st January, 1924, upon three months' notice in writing to the Registered Holder, terminating on any date on which interest is payable, to pay all or any part of the said Notes at par. If only part of the Notes are to be paid, the same are to be determined by drawings. Subject thereto the Notes will be repayable at par on the 1st January, 1928, and carry interest until repayment at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum.

The Company has agreed that so long as any of the Notes are outstanding it will not without the sanction of an Extraordinary Resolution passed at a Meeting of the Holders of the Notes for the time being outstanding create or issue any Debentures or Debenture Stock or other securities constituting a charge upon any part of its undertaking or property or create any other mortgage or charge thereon (other than to discharge or pay off all or any of the £1,010,000 Six per Cent. Debentures of the Company, or to secure Bankers' loans incurred in the ordinary course of business, or on property acquired after the date of this issue or for the purpose of discharging the Notes).

Interest on the Notes will be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in each year, the first payment being due on the 1st July, 1921, calculated on 50 per cent. of the nominal amount of the Notes from the date of acceptance and on the full nominal amount of the Notes from the 22nd December, 1920. Interest Coupons will be attached to the Notes.

Special consideration will be given to applications from the Shareholders, Debenture-holders, employees and customers of the Ebbw Vale Steel, Iron and Coal Company, Limited, and its associated Companies.

BARCLAYS BANK LIMITED,
54 Lombard street, E.C.3, and
THE BRITISH LINEN BANK,
38 St. Andrew square, Edinburgh,

are authorised by IMPERIAL AND FOREIGN CORPORATION LIMITED, and reduced, of 1 Broad street place, London, E.C.2, the purchasers of the £1,500,000 Notes, to receive at their Head Offices and Branches applications for purchase of the above £1,500,000 8 per Cent. Notes at 98½ per cent.

PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS—

	Per £25 Note.	Per £50 Note.	Per £100 Note.	Per £500 Note.
On Application	£2 10 0	£5 0 0	£10 0 0	50 0 0
,, Acceptance	10 0 0	20 0 0	40 0 0	200 0 0
,, the 22nd day of Dec., 1920	12 2 6	24 5 0	48 10 0	242 10 0
Total	£24 12 6	£49 5 0	£98 10 0	£492 10 0

The following is a copy of a letter addressed to Imperial and Foreign Corporation Limited (and reduced), hereinafter called the Corporation, by Mr. Frederick Mills, the Chairman of the Company:—

Ebbw Vale, Mon.,
8th November, 1920.

To the Directors of IMPERIAL AND FOREIGN CORPORATION, LIMITED,
1 Broad street place, London, E.C.2.

Gentlemen,—

THE EBBW VALE STEEL, IRON AND COAL COMPANY, LIMITED.

As requested, I beg to give you the following information regarding the present position of this Company:—

1. The Share and Loan Capital of the Company, including the pending Notes, is as follows:—

6 per Cent. Mortgage Debentures now outstanding	£1,010,000
8 per Cent. Seven-Year Notes (pending issue)	3,000,000
7 per Cent. Cumulative Preference Shares	1,200,000
Ordinary Shares	2,500,000
	£7,710,000

2. The value of the Company's Assets, as shown in the last duly audited Balance sheet, dated 31st March, 1920, was as follows:—

Land, Buildings, Works, Plant, etc., as at 31st March, 1917, as per Valuation on a pre-war basis by Messrs. Forster, Brown and Rees, and Messrs. Wheatley, Kirk, Price and Co.		£3,368,224
Expenditure from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1920, less Sales		2,111,173
		£5,479,397
Stocks, Debtors, Investments, Cash in Hand, etc.		2,000,858
		£7,480,255
Deduct:— Liabilities, including Reserves for Special Purposes and Provision for Taxation		1,377,898
Surplus of Assets over Liabilities at 31st March, 1920 (excluding £1,010,000 Debentures)		£6,102,357
to which there must be added the value of Works, Extensions and Increased Stocks since 31st March, 1920, and Shares of Associated Companies acquired since that date (approximately)	£3,450,000	
Deduct:— Liabilities on Capital Account to be discharged out of the pending Issue (approximately)	2,000,000	
		1,450,000
		£7,552,357
Add the estimated Net Proceeds of the pending Issue of Notes		2,860,000
Making a total of		£10,412,357

3. The surplus as shown above is sufficient to provide for the redemption of all outstanding Debentures and to cover the pending Note Issue of £3,000,000 more than three times.

4. The proceeds of this Issue are required for two new Blast Furnaces (one of which is already in blast), Coke Ovens, Waterworks and other extensions, as also for the purchase of the entire capital of Lancaster's Steam Coal Collieries, Limited, and in part satisfaction of the acquisition of Shares in Associated Companies, or to discharge capital liabilities in connection therewith, as above stated.

5. For the last four financial years dividends at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum have been paid on the Ordinary Shares of the Company, and I have no reason to think that this rate will not be maintained in the future. Apart from the earning of this Company, the dividends which we anticipate receiving from the Shares of the Associated Companies recently acquired should be more than sufficient to provide the regular payment of interest on this Note Issue.

Yours faithfully,
(Signed) FRED. MILLS.

APPLICATIONS—Applications for purchase must be lodged with the Head Office or any branch of Barclays Bank Limited, or The British Linen Bank, together with the amount payable on application. If any application be not accepted in respect of the full amount of the Notes comprised in the application, the surplus amount paid on application will be appropriated towards the amount payable on acceptance, and any balance will be returned to the applicant, and where any application is not accepted the amount paid will be returned in full. Interest at 10 per cent. per annum will be charged on instalments overdue, and failure to pay any instalment of the purchase money when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and will also give the Corporation the right to forfeit or procure the forfeiture of and to resell the Notes in respect of which the default shall have been made.

NOTES—All Notes applied for and accepted hereunder will be procured to be issued directly by the Company to the applicants, and on payment of the amount due on acceptance the names of the purchasers will be entered in the Company's Register of Note Holders as the Holders of the Notes purchased.

Notes will be delivered in exchange for Letters of Acceptance duly receipted for the amount payable on acceptance and the final instalment. The Notes are transferable on the usual transfer forms on payment of a fee of 2s. 6d. per transfer, and such transfers will be duly entered by the Company in its Register of Note Holders.

INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS—Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, the form of Note, the original of the above letter, and the Agreement between the Company and Corporation, under which the Corporation agreed to purchase at 93 per cent. the Notes now offered for sale, can be seen at the offices of Messrs. Guedalla, Jacobson and Spyer, Winchester House, E.C., between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. on any day whilst the list remains open.

BROKERAGE—A brokerage of ¼ of one per cent. will be paid in respect of accepted applications by the public bearing the stamp of a Broker or Bankers or other recognised agents approved by the Corporation.

The Corporation pays the expenses incidental to and attendant upon this offer, including brokerage and underwriting and overriding commissions of 2½ per cent. and ½ per cent. respectively.

QUOTATION—Applications for an official quotation for the Notes now offered for sale will be made in due course to the Committees of the London and certain Provincial Stock Exchanges.

PLACE FOR OBTAINING DOCUMENTS—Particulars of this Offer for Sale and Application Forms may be obtained from the Corporation or from the Bankers and Brokers, or from the offices of the Company.

Dated 17th November, 1920.

THE EBBW VALE STEEL, IRON AND COAL COMPANY, LIMITED.

DIRECTORS.

FREDERICK MILLS, Chairman and Managing Director, Ebbw Vale, Mon.
SIR JOHN WYNDHAM BEYNON, Bt., C.B.E., Deputy Chairman, The Coldra, near Newport, Mon.
SIR HENRY MATHER JACKSON, Bt., C.B.E., Llantilio Court, Abergavenny, Mon.
SIR PHILIP G. HENRIQUES, K.B.E., 33 Grosvenor place, S.W.1.
LIONEL FRANKLIN BEYNON, Christchurch, near Newport, Mon.

BANKERS.

BARCLAYS BANK LIMITED, 54 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, and Branches.

BROKERS.

London: MYERS AND CO., 19 Throgmorton avenue, E.C.2.
Glasgow: BUCHANAN, GAIRDNER AND TENNANT, 19 St. Vincent place.
Manchester: DIMMOCK BROTHERS AND COWTAN, 21 Spring gardens.
Cardiff: H. J. THOMAS AND CO., 130 Bute street.

SOLICITORS FOR THE COMPANY.

COLBORNE, COULMAN AND LAWRENCE, Victoria Chambers, Newport, Mon.

SOLICITORS FOR THE CORPORATION.

GUEDALLA, JACOBSON AND SPYER, Winchester House, Old Broad street, London, E.C.2.

AUDITORS.

W. B. PEAT AND CO., Ironmonger lane, London, E.C.2.

SECRETARY AND REGISTERED OFFICE.

BERTRAM NORTHGRAVES, A.C.I.S., Ebbw Vale, Mon.

The definitive notes will be prepared, as near as possible, in the denominations specified in the Application Form and, after acceptance, cannot be sub-divided.

No. 164.

OFFER FOR SALE OF
£1,500,000 8 PER CENT. SEVEN-YEAR NOTES
In Denominations of £25, £50, £100, and £500, at 98½ per cent., in

THE EBBW VALE STEEL, IRON AND COAL COMPANY, LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1862.)

To the IMPERIAL AND FOREIGN CORPORATION, LIMITED (AND REDUCED),
1 Broad street place, London, E.C.2.

Gentlemen,—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £.................., being a deposit of 10 per cent. on application for £.................. Notes under the above offer for sale, I/we offer to purchase that amount of such Notes at 98½ per cent., and I/we undertake and agree to accept such Notes or any less amount of Notes in respect of which you may accept this offer upon the terms of the full Particulars of Offer dated the 17th November, 1920, and subject to the Conditions endorsed on the Notes and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and I/we agree to pay the sum of 40 per cent. on Acceptance and 48½ per cent., being the balance of the purchase money, on or before the 24th day of December, 1920.

I/We hereby declare that this application is not made by or for the benefit of an enemy subject within the meaning of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1916.

I/We desire that the Notes applied for by me/us or any less number which may be allotted to me/us shall be issued as nearly as possible in the following denominations:—

A .... Notes £500 each = £..................
B .... ,, £100 ,, = £..................
C .... ,, £50 ,, = £..................
D .... ,, £25 ,, = £..................
Total..........£

Yours faithfully,

Usual Signature ....
Surname ....
Christian Name or Names ....
Address ....
....
Profession or Occupation ....

(A Lady should state whether she is a Spinster, Married Woman, or Widow.)

Date .... 1920.

PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

(NOTE.—In the case of a private Firm, this form to be signed by a member(s) or nominee(s) of the Firm.)

Cheques should be made payable to BARCLAYS BANK LIMITED, or THE BRITISH LINEN BANK, or Bearer, and crossed NOT NEGOTIABLE. If altered from "Order" to "Bearer," the alteration should be signed by the drawer.

An acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course, either by Acceptance Letter or return of the deposit.

FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

CITY STEAM FLUCTUATING. GUINNESS, DUNLOPS, AND TEXTILES ALL WEAKER.

The course of prices on 'Change yesterday was mainly unsatisfactory, owing to poor business and a little selling pressure in more directions than one. War Loan 5 p.c. closed over lowest, but still down on the day. Banks were quiet, with Nationals better. Guinness Ord. turned sellers, and buyers were absent, unless at a sharp fall. City of Dublin Steam Stocks fluctuated. The Ord. relapsed, but the Pref. rose strongly. Rails and Trams were idle, but occasionally better. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were still pressed for sale owing to the delay in notifying the dividend. Parent Tyres weakened in sympathy. Textiles relapsed, and offers to sell Miscellaneous shares gave an air of gloom to quotations of a few seldom dealt in shares. Oils fell heavily, and Courtaulds were again weaker, thus eliminating the balance of the recent rise on the bonus notification.

Among the Funds, Consols and India Stocks failed to quote, but War Loan 4 p.c. rose 1/16 to 94⅛, while the 5 p.c. finally closed ⅛ lower at 83⅛, ⅛, and to 83½ transferable by deed. Corporation and Township issues were nearly all idle.

In Banks, Nationals rose ¼ to 16⅛, and Munsters fell 1/16 to 6, while Provincial Ols were less firm at 18⅛.

Dealing in Breweries was confined to Guinness Ord, which fell ⅝ to 32⅞.

City of Dublin Steam fluctuated. The Ord. fell 3½ to 135, but the Pref. rose at a bound, 8 to 95.

Home Rails were almost neglected, but Great Northern Ord. rose ½ to 52, and Great Southern Ord repeated 42⅞.

In Trams, Dublin United Ord. rose ⅝ to 6⅞, thus materialising the nominal closing price of the past few days. Provincial Debs. at 6½ were firm.

Dunlop issues were quietly offered. Dunlop Rubber opened 1s. lower at 24s. 3d., but later 3d. more was paid. Parent Tyre Def. fell 1s. 3d. to 55s., and the 8 p.c. 3d. to 20s. 9d.

Textiles remain weak and largely nominal. Coats fell 6d. to 49s. 6d., and Spinners 2s. 9d. to 44s. 9d.

In Trading, etc., Dockrell Ord. fell 3d. to 10s. 6d. Helton Pref. were offered down 1s. further to 69s., but no support offered. *Irish Times* Pref. were firm at 58s.

Other business done included Kern River Oil New Ord., which fell 3d. to 2s. prem. Mexican Eagle Oils ¼ to 11⅞, and Shells 1/16 to 6⅞.

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount .... 7½%, April 20, 1920.
Deposit .... 3½%, April 20, 1920.

BUSINESS DONE.

5% War Ln. (83½)	83⅛ ⅜	Provl. Deb. (6½)	*6½
Do. Deed (83½)	83½	Parent Ord. (21/-)	20/9
Do. Bonds	83⅛	Do. Def. (56/3)	56/-
4% War Ln. (94⅛)	94⅛	Dunlop (25/-)	24/3 4/6
2½% Land Act (52)	52	Coats (50/-)	49/6
India 3½ (56½)	*56½	Fine Spin (47/6)	44/9
Mun. & Lein. Bk. (6⅛)	6	Dockrell Ord. (10/9)	10/6
National (16)	16⅛	Helton Pref.	69/-a
Provincial (18½)	18⅛	*Irish Times* Pref. (58/-)	58/-
Guinness (33⅝)	32⅞	Courtaulds	7⅞
City Steam (137½)	135	Kern River New (2/3)	*2/- pm.
Do. Pref. (87)	95	Mexican Eagle	11⅞
G.N. Ord. (51⅞)	*52	Shells (6⅞)	*6⅞
G.S.W. Ord. (42⅞)	42⅞		
Dublin Trams (6⅛)	6⅞		

*Odd lot.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

NERVOUS STOCKS.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Stock markets reflected the nervousness prevailing on the Paris Bourse. That centre has been much disturbed by the political situation in the Near East, and this influence has completely eclipsed the distinct rally which has taken place during the past few days in the principal foreign exchanges. At the outset markets presented a very gloomy appearance. Fresh buying had been reduced to comparatively small dimensions, while in some sections there were attempts to liquidate stock on a fairly extensive scale. Conditions improved as the day wore on, less selling being encountered, and the advices coming to hand from the chief Continental centres were of a somewhat more reassuring character. A moderate rally in prices followed, but on balance changes were mostly against holders, though in the Investment sections the decline was by no means heavy. The pronounced strength recently enjoyed by Government Securities was less in evidence. Sellers were more numerous, and outweighed the steady stream of small investment purchases.

LONDON STOCKS UNEASY.

HEAVY SELLING PRESSURE.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

On the London Stock Exchange yesterday the volume of business of the markets was very small, and the tendency was dull and irregular. There was a further shake-out in Oils early in the day, which, however, was followed by some recovery from the worst, though the close was heavy. The weakness was accompanied by rumours of trouble both at home and abroad, and there was a distinctly nervous and uneasy feeling. A good deal of Stock was being pressed for sale, and the selling was difficult to take. The fall in the price of gold was the reverse of helpful to Kaffirs. High-class investment issues led the weakness. War Loan Fives eased off, opening at 83⅛ and closing at 83⅛, while Consols were 44⅞, and Funding Loan at 67⅞ and Victory Bonds at 73⅞ were both ⅛ lower. National War Bonds showed a tendency to give way, and there was not the amount of buying going on for excess profits duty that there was recently. The new Local Loans were quoted ⅛ discount.

FOREIGN BONDS DULL.—The depression in Brazilian Bonds was again very marked. Mexican Fives dropped to 61½, and the 6 p.c. were flat at 63⅛. Russian Fives were down to 20⅛. German Threes were maintained at 6⅛. The improved value of the franc hardened French Loans, without a change in the 5 p.c. The coupon is worth 7s. 10d. net of £100 Stock, taking the exchange at 56. The 4 p.c. were up to 36⅛. Japanese 4½ p.c. fell to 108. Scores of dollar securities were quoted lower.

HOME RAILS NEGLECTED.—Home Rails were almost entirely neglected, and changes were scarcely worth special mention. Midland remained at 48⅛, but Great Western receded to 76, while Berthas were quoted 44⅛. Chatham Ord. were easier at 7⅛. Hull and Barnsley declined to 46. Underground Electric Incomes were unchanged.

Changes—Rise: Great Northern Pref., ½ to 44. Falls: Great Western, ½ to 76; Hull and Barnsley, 1½ to 46; North British Def., ½ to 12.

CANADIANS AND MEXICANS QUIET.—Canadian Pacifics were 5 points down at 165. Grand Trunks were unchanged. Mexican Rails were irregular. The Ord. hardened 1 to 20, but each of the Pref. lost a point at 48 and 29 respectively. Argentines were offered, and several slight falls were recorded.

INDUSTRIAL MARKETS MENDING.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Little change was to be seen in the tone of the Miscellaneous and Industrial market yesterday. Prices were generally fairly well maintained. The more popular issues, however, suffered from selling, which in many instances was to be traced to provincial account. A reaction in Cargo Fleet from the comparatively low level to which the shares declined on the report was to have been expected. Yesterday the price picked up 1s. to 18s. 6d. Vickers were also a better market, finishing 3d. to the good at 20s. 9d., and Armstrongs were unchanged at 21s. Sheffield Steel Products were firm at 14s., the announcement that the company had just concluded an important contract with the Admiralty being received after hours. South Durhams were steady at the figure, and Ebbw Vales the same at 24s. Generally the Iron and Steel department bore a firmer appearance, though Swan Hunters were an exception, easing 1/16 to 1⅞. Powell Duffryn showed improvement at 42s. 6d. in the Coal Stock group. Added interest was given yesterday to the fluctuations which have been noticeable in Harper Bean. A spurt of 1s. to 5s. occurred in the earlier part of the day, and although much of this gain was lost later the shares finished up with a net gain at 4s. 9d., after changing hands frequently. The Pref. rose at one time to 6s. 6d., but closed 5s. 6d. Rovers receded to 18s., and Vauxhalls to 15s. A. Bakers were the turn lower at 27s. 9d., but there was not much stock in the market. Imperials were dull at 47s. 9d. African and Easterns were harder for choice at 3⅛, and Mann Cook kept the price at 18s. 6d. Lever Bros. Pref. at 17s. 6d. were the turn better, and Bell's Asbestos were a good spot at 27s. 6d. Dunlops were steadier, closing unchanged at 24s., and the New 8s. 3d., or slightly harder. De Treys, however, drooped further to 29s. 3d. Courtaulds weakened to 7⅛, or ⅛ lower on the day, on selling from the North. Orders were traceable to Liverpool, where impending trouble is rumoured to have affected the local Exchange. Other Textiles were dull in sympathy, Spinners easing 1/16 to 2⅞, Amalgamated Cottons shedding 6d. at 20s. 6d., and Coats 1/16 to 2⅞. Calicos were firm at 22s. Joshua Hoyle eased ⅛ to 2⅛ on the increased capital proposal, although the dividend for the year is 25 per cent., tax free, and compares with 20 per cent. last time. Foodstuffs were harder, Aerated Bread closing 1/16 better at 1⅞, and Van Den Berghs gaining 1/16 at 1⅞. Liptons brightened to 24s. 6d., the Pref. also improving to 14s.

MINING MARKET LOWER.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Despite a marked improvement in the exchanges the House yesterday was still under the influence of the international political situation, and business in all departments languished. As regards Kaffirs, although there are good prospects of satisfactory dividend announcements next month and Paris was no longer a large seller, even of its favourites, the tone was very quiet, and a further drop of 1s. 7d. to £5 17s. 2d. per oz. in the price of gold checked any expansion of interest. Very little real selling was indulged in, but the dribbling out of small parcels here and there had a disproportionate effect upon values, nearly all the changes on balance being against holders. Central Mining were steady on the dividend announcement, but most of the counters which had rallied on the preceding day reacted. The Oceana Consolidated report was expected at any moment, and it was said that a 10 p.c. dividend would be forthcoming. The Rhodesian section which had hitherto held up well had to succumb to the general feeling of dulness, and Chartered led a downward movement. The cablegram received by the Cam and Motor to the effect that milling and concentrating are expected to be resumed about the beginning of next month failed to arouse enthusiasm, and the close was idle.

OIL SHARE MARKET ERRATIC.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

While the actual volume of business in Oil shares yesterday was not particularly large, the market pursued an erratic course throughout the day, some wide fluctuations again occurring in the leaders, and in particular in Mexican Eagles, which at times made dealing extremely difficult. The opening was none too good, and, following the easier tone in New York overnight and the unsettled conditions prevailing in the late dealings here on Wednesday, a certain amount of hesitation was observable, the general effect being to put prices lower. About mid-day an appreciable rally set in, favourites such as Mexican Eagles and Shells, Paris being reported firm, although it cannot be said that actual transactions on account of that centre had much influence upon the market during official hours. At the official close prices had slipped back from the best, but, taken as a whole, the list had a decidedly more healthy appearance than during the early hours. Among the leaders, Mexican Eagle Ord. and Pref. finally registered improvements, the shares being in good demand in the late "street" dealings on Paris account; but Shells showed a slight shrinkage, and Burmahs, which were sold from the North on rumours of trouble in the East, moved down. Sales from Amsterdam were responsible for a further fall in Royal Dutch, although the final quotation was above the worst. Anglo-Americans came over lower from New York, but made good progress later in the day, and left off at a slight advance. The strength and activity of Apex Trinidad was again the chief feature of the Trinidad group, and, indeed, of the whole market. Opening at about the overnight level, they again met with a good demand, and went ahead steadily, and, although profit-taking brought about a decline from the best point touched, they still showed an appreciable gain on the day. As regards other Trinidad issues, United British were supported, and registered an improvement, and Centrals closed steady, but Leaseholds moved down. Among other favourites, Anglo-Egyptian "B" slipped back, and Venezuela Oil Concessions also showed a small loss, but Kern Rivers hardened. Scottish-Americans received attention in the early hours, a strong demand finding the shares in short supply and causing the price to advance smartly, but they came back in the later dealings, and were only a trifle up on balance. In other directions, British Controlled were freely offered, leaving off dull and appreciably lower, but otherwise there was little of special interest. Closing prices:—

Anglo-American	5⅞	6	+1/16
Anglo-Egyptian "B"	3¾	3⅞	−1/16
Anglo-Maikop	4/6	5/6	
Anglo-Persian 6pc. Pref.	21/3	22/3	−3d.
Anglo-United	1	1	
Apex Trinidad	2⅞	2⅞	+1/32
Assam	1⅞	1⅞	
Atlantic Oil Syndicate	3/0	4/0	
British Borneo Petroleum	1⅞	1⅞	
British Burmah Petroleum	1⅞	1⅞	−1/16
British Colonial Petroleum	6/6	6/9	
British Controlled Pref.	11/6	12/6	−1/0
British Motor Spirit	12/9	13/3	−6d.
Burmah	7⅞	8⅞	−1/16
Caltex Oil ($1)	9/3	9/9	
Chijoles Oil	¾	1	
Copan Oilfields (5/-)	4/0	4/6	
Cyprus Oil Trust	3/0	3/6	
Dacia Romano Pet. Synd	1¾	1⅞	
Eagle Transport Pref.	5½	5⅞	
English Oilfields	1⅞	1⅞	−1/32
Gemsah Oil Reefs	1	[illegible]	
Hamilton's Oil Con.	2/3	2/6	
Indo Burma Oilfields	16/0	16/6	
Kern River	22/3	22/9*†	+3d.
Lobitos	4⅞	4⅞	
Maikop Tuman	20/0	21/0	
Maisels Petroleum Trust	⅜	½	
Mexican Eagle Ord.	11⅞	11⅞	+1/16
Mexican Eagle Pref.	11⅞	11⅞	+1/16
National Petroleum	6/6	7/6	
New Schibaieff	⅜	½	
North Caucasian	1	1⅞	
Oilfields Finance	5/9	6/9	
Oilfields of England	½	¾	
Oil Trust	1/7½	1/10½	
Peru Syndicate	10/9	11/3	
Phoenix Oil	13/3	13/9	
Premier Oil (15/- share)	4/6	5/0	
Rumanian Cons.	20/9	21/3	+3d.
Royal Dutch	59¼	60¼	−1½
Scottish-American	25/0	25/6	+3d.
Shell Transport	6⅞	6⅞	−1/32
Shell Transport Pref.	7⅞	7⅞	
Spies	8/0	8/6	−3d.
Tampico Panuco Pref.	4/9	5/3	
Tankers Pref.	16/9	17/3	
Transvaal Oil Shale	8/6	9/0	
Trinidad Central	5⅞	5⅞	
Trinidad Dominion	5/6	6/6	
Trinidad Leaseholds	3⅞	3⅞	−1/32
United British of Trinidad	1⅞	1⅞	+1/16
Ural Caspian	1⅞	1⅞	+1/32
Uroa Oilfields	1	1	
Var Oil and Coal	20/0	20/6	−3d.
Venezuelan Oil Concessions	3¾	3⅞	−3d.

* Ex div. † Ex rights.

RUBBER MARKET REVIEW.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

There has been little change in the condition of the Rubber market during the past week. Stock has, perhaps, been offered a little more freely, and several fairly large parcels have failed to find buyers. The course of the commodity market continues uncertain, but some encouragement was derived as a result of the satisfactory settlement of the November account. Mincing Lane is, of course, still in a highly strung condition, as the end of the year "prompt" (probably the most important of all) is still to be got through; but, as far as it is possible to judge, there is less pessimism prevailing now compared with the last week or so. In the event of a satisfactory settlement of the next account a change of sentiment may easily occur. The share market yesterday was idle and dull, the declines being principally amongst the investment shares and a few of the floriners. Java Amalgamated, Java Produce, Sennah, and Tamiang all came on offer, while Anglo-Java were conspicuously weak at 3s. 9d. Eastern Trust are lower at 16s. 9d., and falls occurred in Bukit Rajah, Sablas, and Telogoredjo. On the other hand, Anglo-Dutch form an exception to the general flatness with 1s. rise on the week at 43s. 6d.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	44⅛-⅜	French Loan	44-5*
Funding L'n.	67⅝-⅞ — ⅛	IrishLand 3%	49-51
Victory Bds.	73⅝-⅞ — ⅛	do. 2¾%	44⅞-5⅛
War Ln 3½%	83⅛-⅜ — ⅛	India 3%	46-7 — ⅛
do. 4½%	76⅛-⅜ — ⅛	do. 3½%	54⅞-5⅛
do. 5%	83⅛-⅜ — ⅛		
do. 4%	93⅞-4⅛ — ⅛		

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Can. Pacific	164-6 — 5	B.Ayres Gt. S.	66⅛-7⅛ — ⅛
Grand Trunk	5⅛-⅜	B-Ayres Pac.	50⅛-1⅛ — ⅛
do. 4% Guar.	56-9	B.Ayres & W.	66-7 — ⅛
do. 1st Pref.	41-2	Cen. Arg'tine	59¾-60¾* — ¼
do. 2nd Prf.	29⅛-30⅛	Cen. Urug'y	57-9
do. 3rd Pref.	12-⅛	Entre Rios	24-6
do. 4% Deb.	59⅛-60⅛	do. 1st Pref.	62-4*
do. 6% 3y nts.	96-9	Mex Nat. 1st	15⅛-16⅛ — ⅛
Antofa Ord.	64⅛-5⅛	Mex. 2nd Pf.	8¾-9¼ — ⅛
Argen. G. W.	55-7	Mex. Rails	19⅝-20⅝ + 1
Armavir To'ps.	15-20 — 2	do. 8 p.c. Pf.	47-9 — 1
Bahia Blanca	55-7	do. 6 p.c. Pf.	28-30 — 1
do. 4½ 2nd Db.	55-7	San Paulo Or.	125-7
Brazil Rail	2⅛-⅛	Un. Havana	71⅛-2¼ + ¼

FOREIGN BONDS.

Arg'tine, 1886	89-91	Jap. 4½pc. 1st	107-9 — 1
do. 5p.c., '07	79-82	do. 4pc., 1905	82-6 — 1
Brazil 4pc. '89	41-3	do. New 5p.c.	72-4
do. Funding	71-3	Mex. 5pc. '99	60-3 — 3⅛
do. 5pc. 1914	57-9	Peruvian Corp.	5-⅛
Chinese 5 '96	76-7	do. Pref.	25-6 — ⅛
do. 4½pc. '98	61-2	do. Deb.	76-8
do. 5pc. 1912	62-4	Portuguese 3pc.	23-6 — 1
Egypt'n Un.	61-3	Russian 4pc.	11-14
German 3 p.c.	6⅛	do. 5pc., 1906	19-22 — 2
Greek 5 p.c.	46-9 — 1	Spanish 4pc.	80-5 — 2
Italian Rentes	19-24	U'guay 3½pc.	55-7 — 1

MISCELLANEOUS.

Aerated Bread	1⅝-⅞ + ⅛	J. Brown	23/0-5/0
Armstrong	20/3-1/3 — 0/3	do. (15/pd)	18/0-20/0
A.P. Cement	24/0-5/0	Im. Tobac. Or.	47/0-8/0 — 1/3
do. Pref.	14/3-15/3	Lipton	24/0-5/0
Aboukir Land	1⅛-⅜	do. Pref	13/6-14/6 + 0/6
Arg'nt. N'n. Ld.	[illegible]	Lyons	4⅛-⅜ + 1/16
do. South. Ld.	1⅛-⅜	Lovell Ch'mas.	21/0-2/0†
Anglo-Arg. 1st	2⅛-3⅛	Lagunas	1⅛-⅛
Allsopp Ord.	85-90 — 2	do. Synd.	6/0-7/0 — 0/6
do. 5% Pref	68-72	Lautaro Nit.	11⅛-12⅛ — ⅛
Alby Uni'd.	5/3-5/9	Liverpool Nit.	3⅞-4⅛ — ⅛
Angola	1⅞-2⅛ — ⅛	London Nit.	2-⅛ — ⅛
Anglo-Chili'n	13⅛-14⅛ — ⅛	Maple	2⅛-⅜
do. Pref.	13⅛-14⅛ — ⅛	Magadi Soda	12/0-13/0 — 1/6
Amal. Cotton	20/0-1/0 — 0/6	Maypole Def.	[illegible]
Borax Con. Df.	1⅞-⅞ xd	Mond Nickel	[illegible]
Bri. P'd. Cmt.	20/6-2/6	Montr'al St. Db.	92-6
B.S.A.	17/0-18 0	Monterey Db.	30-3
B. Mot. Tr'd'g	6/3-/9 — /4½	Mex. Trams	17-21
B. & A. Meat	20/9-1/9	do. Bonds	42-5 — 2⅛
Bass, Rat. Pf.	64-8	do. L. & P. Bs.	56-9 — ⅛
Brit. Oil & Ck.	2-⅛	N'w Tam'gal	1⅛-⅜ — ⅛
Brunner Mond.	[illegible]*	Pahang (5s)	[illegible]
B'tholomay Pf.	[illegible]	Parent Tyre Df.	[illegible]
B.N.B. Ld.	[illegible]	Pease Partns.	34/0-6/0 — 0/6
Brazil'n Tract	42⅛-3⅛ — 1	P. & O. Def.	450-70
Brit. Col. Elec. Pf.	57-61	Projectiles (£1)	⅛-⅛
do. 4½% Dbs	86-9	Pekin Syn.	17/6-18/6 — 0/6
Bryant & May.	[illegible] — 0/3	Pan de Azucar	13[illegible]-14⅛ — ⅛
Bleachers	1⅛-⅛ — 1/16	Peters (G.D.)	1-1/16
Bradford Dyers	2-⅛	Royal Mail Or.	110-20
Brit. Cottons	6/9-7/0	Rio Lands	7/0-8/0
Calico Printers	1⅛-⅛ — 1/32	Roneo	1⅞-2 — 1/16
Cammell L'd.	17/0-18/0	Rosario Nit.	8-⅛
Cargo Fleet	17/0-19 0	Sew. Cotton	1⅛-⅞
Coats	48/9-9/9 — 0/9	Salt Union	1⅛-⅛
Cartagena Wat.	1⅛-⅛ + 1/16	do. Pref.	1-⅛
Courtaulds	7⅛-⅛ — 1/16	S. Durham St'l.	2⅞-3⅛
Court Line	1⅞-⅛	Sao Paulo Db.	87-90 — 2
Cunard Ord.	23/6-4/6 — 0/6	Sth. Af. Brew	1⅛-⅜
Duff Dev.	11/0-12/0	Shaw W'ter Db.	65-8
Dunlop Rub.	1⅛-⅜ — 1/16	Santa Catalina	1¾-2 — ⅛
Eastmans	23/6-4/6	Sun Fuel	19/3-20/3 — /10½
Furness Withy	28/6-9/6 — /6	Salr. del C'men.	2⅛-⅜ — ⅛
Forestal	34/9-5/9 — 0/9	Siemens	23/9-4/9 + 0/3
F'st's. Glass. Pf.	⅞-1	Tarapaca Nit.	19/0-21/
Fine Spinners	2⅞-⅞ — 1/16	Tm. Fireproof.	6⅛-7⅛
Guinness	322-40	Un. Stm. N.Z.	17/6-18/9
do. Pref.	90-3	Vickers	20/2-1/3
Gramophone	1⅛-⅛	Van Den Berghs	1⅞-⅞ + 1/32
Harrod's	2-2⅛	Do. Pref.	6/9-7/9
Home & Col. Pf.	3⅞-4⅛	Weard'lee. p.o.	20/-2/0
do. 15% Cm. Or.	1⅛-⅛	Wallpaper Df.	15/3-16/ — /1⅛
Hudson's Bay	6⅞-⅛ + 1/16		

† New Ord. Shares.

TEA SHARES.

Amalgamated Ord., 7⅛—⅛; Chubwa, 15½—1⅛; East Produce, 21/9—9d.

* Ex-dividend.

MINING SHARES.

Anaconda	11¼—⅛	Gt. Boulder Prop.	5/9—3d
Bawdwin	3¼—¼	Johannesburg Con. Inv.	25/—3d
Bk. Hill Prop.	2¼—⅛	Mash. Agency	5/9+3d
Burma Corp.	10/9—6d	Mex. Min. El Oro	6⅛—⅛
Camp Bird	11/—6d	Modder Deep	3⅞—⅛
Chartered	14/7½—4½d	Oriental Cons.	⅞—⅛
Durban Roodept.	⅛—⅛	Randfontein Central	13/—3d
East Pool & Agar	8/6—3d	Ro. Estates	16/3—3d
E. Rand Prop.	8/3—3d	Russo-Asiatic	12/—+1/-
El Oro	15/—6d	Santa Gertrudis	16/6—6d
Esperanza	1⅛—⅛	S.A. Diamond	1⅛—⅛
Falcon	12/—6d	Taquah Mining	15/—+6d
R.F. Rhod. Dev.	6/9 x.d.—6d	Transvaal Gold	10/- x.d.—+7½d
Johan Horseshoe	4⅞—⅛	Van Ryn Deep	3⅞—⅛
Ivanhoe Gold	1½ x.d.—⅛	Zinc Ord.	17/—6d

RUBBER SHARES.

Allagar	1/7½—1½d	London-Asiatic	4/9—1½d
Anglo-Dutch	43/6—3d	Merlimau	4/6—1½d
Anglo-Java	3/9—4d	Moopiy Valley	21/3—1/3
Beaufort Borneo	17/9—3d	R. Travancore	16/—+1/-
Besocki	28/9—3d	Rub. Trust	20/9—1/0
Bekoh	1/8—1d	Sablas	3⅞ x.d.—6d
Bukit Rajah	25/—1/6	Seramban	20/4½—9d
Chersonese	2/9½—1d	Serdang Cent.	30/—4/9
East. Sumatra	1/8½—1d	Soember Ajoe	1/9—3d
Eastern Trust	16/9—9d	Tamiang	30/—7½d
Java Amal.	32/6—2/3	Telogoredjo	42/6—1/3
Java Para	33/—1/4½	Tempeh	1/6—1d
Kamuning	3/—+1½d	Un. Serdang	4/7½—1½d
Kepitigalla	11/—+3d	Val d'Or	2/10½—1½d
Kinta Kellas	4/—+3d	Yam Seng	3/6
Kuala Lumpur	49/9—3/3		

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—44⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 5, 44⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—83⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Funding Loan**—67⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 8, 7⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞. **Victory Bonds**—73⅞, ⅞, 4, 3⅞, ⅞, ⅞. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—76⅛, ⅛. **5 p.c. War Loan**—83⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *3, 3. **4 p.c. War Loan**—94, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 3⅞, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—35/7½, 5/-, 6/-, 5/3, 4/9, 5/9, 7½d. **African and Eastern**—66/3, 5/7½, 5/-, 4/9. **Amalgamated Cotton**—21/-, 20/6, 7½d., 2d., 9d., 1/-. **Anglo-American Corporation**—26/3, 5/-. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—43/1½, 9d. **Anglo-Egyptian Oil**—65/7½, 5/-, 4/4½. **Anglo-Java Rubber**—4/-, 3/10½, 9d. **Armstrong**—21/-, 20/10½, 9d. **Assoc. Cement**—24/3, 1½d., 4/-, 6d., 9d. **Barclays Bank "A"**—6⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £6 8/-; do. "B"—42/-, 1/7½, 6d., 9d., 2/-. **Bleachers Ord.**—32/6. **Brit. Amer. Tobacco**—71/3, 70/7½, 68/9, 9/4½, 70/3. **British Dyestuffs Pref.**—11/-, 10/9; do. Pref. Ord.—11/10½, 12/-, 11/9. **British Glass Industry**—17/-, 6d., 3d. **British Oil and Cake**—40/10½, 6d., 40/-, 39/9. **British Overseas Bank**—5⅛, ⅛. **Broken Hill Prop.**—49/4½. **Brunner Mond** (x.d.)—30/4½, 30/-, 10½d., 9d., 6½d. **B.S.A.**—18/-, 17/6, 4½d., 6d. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—66⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 5⅞. **Buenos Ayres Pacific**—51⅛, 50⅛, 1. **Burma Corp.**—11/4½, 3d., 10/9, 6d. **Burmah Oil** (x.d.)—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 8, ⅛, ⅛. **Calico Printers**—22/6. **County Bank**—13⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Courtaulds**—7⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £7 9/6, 7⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—16/6, 9d., 10½d., 7½d., 9d. **Dunlop Ord.**—24/1½, 6d., 4½d., 3/10½, 4/1½, 6d., 3/6. **East Rand Prop.**—*8/-, 4½d., 3d., 1½d., *7/9. **English Oilfields**—30/7½, *30/-, 28/9. **English Sewing Cotton**—33/1½. **Esperanza**—20/7½, 1/10½, 2/6, *20/-, 2/-, 1/3, 2/4½. **Canadian Pacific**—170, 64, ⅛, *5, 4½, 4, 6, 5, 5⅛. **Cargo Fleet**—*18/3, 1½d. **Central Argentine Ord.** (x.d.)—60, 59⅛, 60⅛. **Chartered**—14/9½, 6d., *1½d., 10½d., 14/6, 15/-. **Chinese Engineering and Mining**—6⅛, ⅛, 5⅛, *⅛, 6, ⅛, ⅛; do. Debs.—87⅛. **Coats**—50/7½, 49/-, 8/9, 1½d. **Colombian Mining**—25/-, *3/9, 5/3⅛, 4/10½, 5/7½. **Commercial Bank of London**—16/10½, 17/1½, 3d., 4½d., 7½d., 9d., 4½d. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—21/-, 20/6, 9d.; do. Part. Pref.—21/1½. **Explosives Trades Ord.**—17/3, 17/-, 1½d., *16/3. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—44/9, 4/-. **Government Areas**—83/9, 5/-. **Great Western Rail.**—76, ⅛, 5⅛, 6⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Harper Bean Pref.**—6/-, 4½d., 3d., 5/10½, 6/3; do. Ord.—5/-, 6d., 1½d., 4/9, 5/4½. **Harrod's Ord.**—*41/3, 2/6, 1/9, *37/6, 40/7½, 2/-, 1/3. **Highlands Rubber**—39/6, 4½d., 7/6, 8/1½. **Imperial Tobacco**—48/9, 3d., 8/-, 7/9, 6d., 10½d., 8/6, 9d., 8/-, 7/6. **Johannesburg Consol.**—25/3, 6d., 4/10½, 5/-. **Kern River Oil** (x.d.)—22/4½, 7½d., 6d., 2/-, 3d., 4½d. **Lipton Ord.**—*23/9, 4/9, 7½d. **Lloyd's Bank**—46/3, 7½d., 9d., 7/-. **London, Brighton Def.**—44⅛, ⅛. **London Joint City Bank**—6⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **London North-Western Rail.**—77, ⅛, 6⅛, 7⅛, ⅛, 6⅛. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—*86/10½, 7/6, 9/4½; do. 7 p.c. Pref.—19/3, 7½d., 10½d. **Magadi Soda Ord.**—13/3, 12/3, 9d., 6d., 13/4½, 12/10½; do. Debs.—90, 89⅛. **Marconi Ord.**—56/-, 6/10½, 3d., 7/6, 6/10½; do. Pref.—53/9, 2/6; do. Canada—8/3. **Maypole Def.**—11/3, 6d., 4½d., 7½d., 4½d. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—11⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £11 14/3, *11⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛. **Midland Railway Def.**—48⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Modderfontein (New)**—73/1½, 2/6, 2½d., 1/3. **Modderfontein Deep**—45/-, 3/9, 5/-. **Nat. Prov. Bank (£4)**—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **New Kleinfontein Gold**—*4/-, 6/10½. **Northern Exploration**—9/6, 3d., 8/9. **Palmer's Shipbuilding Ord.**—19/1½, 19/-. **Parent Def.**—53/9. **Prov. Cinematograph Pref. Ord.**—18/9, 6d. **Pyrotan Leather**—4/-, 3/9. **Rand Mines**—53/6, 1½d. **Royal Dutch**—60, ⅛, ⅛, 59⅛, 60⅛, 59⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Rumanian Oil**—20/10½, 7½d., 6d. **Rubber Trust**—21/-, 20/10½, 9d., 6d., 1/-. **Scottish-American Oil**—25/1½, 4/9, 5/7½, 6d., 6/-, 5/6, 3d. **Shell**—*6⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Tankers Pref.**—17/-, 1½d. **Trinidad Leaseholds**—66/3, 7/6, 9½d., 8/1½, 7/2½. **Trinidad Central Oil**—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Underground Elec.**—45/3, 10½d., 6/3. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—26/9, 6d., 3d., 5/9. **Venezuelan Oil**—67/6, 5/7½, 6/3. **Vickers**—20/9, 7½d., 10½d., 6d. **Zinc Corp.**—17/3.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BELFAST.—Business Done:—War Loan 5 p.c., 83⅛, 83⅛; Northern Banking Co. A, 4⅛; Provincial Bank, 18⅛; London County and Westminster, *13⅛; Cowan (Wm.) Ord., 5; Old Bushmills Distillery, 3⅛; Fairbairn, Lawson, Combe, Barbour Ord., 21/7½; Imperial Tobacco Co. of Great Britain and Ireland, 48/9; Dunlop Rubber Co., 24/3; Inglis and Co., Part Paid, 2/- prem. *Exceptional amount at special price.

BIRMINGHAM.—Further falls recorded in Motors. Harper Beans recovering, 4/9. Rovers, Rolls, and Hudsons drooping. Dunlops steadier. Pools still shrinking. Austins, 7/3; Belsize, 20/10½; Components, 13/6; S.T.D., 21/6; Enfields, 25/-; Humbers, 18/10½; Napiers, 10/9; Rolls, 27/-; Rovers, 18/-; Singers, 20/6; Sunbeams, 21/-; Swifts, 18/6; Triumphs, 43/6; Vauxhalls, 15/4½; Dunlops, 24/-; Parent Def., 55/-; Dunlop Pools, 12/6.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles still losing ground. Bleachers, 31/6-32/-; do. Pref., 16/-16/6; Calicos, 21/9-22/3; do. Pref., 13/3-13/9; Bradford Dyers, 41/-42/-; do. Pref., 15/9-16/-; Sewing Cotton, 35/-36/-; do. Pref., 14/3-14/9; Fine Spinners, 44/-45/-; do. Pref., 15/-15/6; "Slubbers," 6/9-7/-; Coats, 49/-49/6.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

HUNASGERIA TEA.—No interim dividend.

OUVAH CEYLON ESTATES.—No interim dividend.

NOAKES AND CO.—Dividend of 1/3 per share on the Ord. Shares.

KADUNA SYNDICATE.—Interim dividend of 10 p.c., less tax.

THIRD EDINBURGH INVESTMENT TRUST.—Further dividend on the Def. Stock at the rate of 14 p.c., less tax, making 12 p.c. for the year.

W. BUTLER AND CO.—Further dividend on the Ord. Shares at 5 p.c. per annum, making 10 p.c. for the year, free of tax.

LANGKAPOERA RUBBER.—10 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary, and dividend of 10 per cent., less tax, on Preference.

WESTERN RAILWAY OF HAVANA.—Dividend of 7 per cent., less tax, on the £1,100,000 Ordinary Shares.

TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF CANADA.—Dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, free of tax, for the six months ending 30th September last.

UNITED RAILWAYS OF THE HAVANA AND REGLA WAREHOUSES.—Final dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, on the £6,535,410 Ordinary Stock, making 7 per cent. for the year.

CHARLES MARSDEN AND SONS.—Profit, after providing for E.P.D. payments, etc., amount to £110,271. Dividend 10 per cent. on Ordinary, and £154,000 forward.

CUBAN CENTRAL RAILWAYS.—Final dividend of 2½ per cent., less tax, on the 5½ Cumulative Preference Shares in respect of the year ended 30th June, 1920, and a dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, on the Ordinary Shares.

LONDON NITRATE COMPANY (LIVERPOOL).—Dividend for year ended June 30th of 1/6 per share, free of tax, as compared with 1/- per share last year, and 2/- per share for the three previous years. The annual accounts will not be ready until after the end of the year.

MIRRLEES, BICKERTON, AND DAY.—The directors have decided, in the interests of the future, that it is better to conserve its resources at present, and although they state that the profits would permit of a distribution, they have decided not to make an interim distribution on the Ordinary Shares.

WAY-HALIM RUBBER.—For the year to March 31st last the net profit amounts to £5,651, and £843 was brought in, making £6,494. Having regard to the present abnormal condition of the rubber industry, the directors recommend that this sum should be carried forward (subject to Corporation Profits Tax).

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

Investors are beginning to ask for a return of 10 per cent. on their money, because of the changing condition of yields, and prices of many existing stocks and shares are now being revised in the light of the new issues daily appearing. We were told over and over again during the summer that there was no money available for investment, but it is a remarkable fact that the company promoters have been pouring out new shares at a rate which recalls the early days of the year, when there was such a boom in this class of business. Each newcomer to secure attention has to offer terms a little more attractive than those of its forerunner, and the consequence is that, unless shares pay 10 per cent. on the money, they are discarded as too expensive for the ordinary investor. This applies, of course, to Ordinary Shares especially, but it is worth noticing that the level for Preference Shares is approaching the double figure line also. A glance through the pages of the Stock Exchange official and supplementary lists, particularly those devoted to industrials of all kinds, will reveal an unexpected number of Preference Shares in good companies, upon which the return, based upon the questions given in the lists, works out at practically 10 per cent. on the money. Newcomers, of course, offer the 10 per cent. every week. At the same time, there are Preference Shares from which 7 per cent. is barely to be obtained. The moral obviously is that it pays the investor to exercise a very careful discrimination in his selection of investments, and safety first makes an admirable motto.

The list is now closed of the offer for sale of £1,000,000 8 per cent. Seven-year Notes in William Beardmore and Co., but applications received from the country by first post on Friday morning will have consideration.

The *Evening News* understands that the dispute between the City financial house of Sperling and Co. and Baldwin's, Ltd., is practically settled. The settlement, it is understood, will involve the payment to Messrs. Baldwin's of damages amounting to £850,000—believed to be a record sum for commercial damages in England. The deal, which was carried through about March by Sir Edward Mackay Edgar involved the purchase of Messrs. Baldwins in order to forestall a famine in steel plates for Messrs Sperlings' other industrial interests. It fell through, according to Sir E. Mackay Edgar, owing to the excess profits duty being unexpectedly continued in the last Budget.

RUBBER CROPS FOR OCTOBER.

Beranang, 34,792 lbs. (29,989); Brooklands, 55,800 (53,819); Bukit Selangor, 33,003 (28,691); Chembong, 54,305 (46,471); Cheras, 30,000 (33,247); Igalkande, 19,535 (14,550); Kampong, 39,000 (33,000); Peacock and Nilambe, 10,437 (11,312); Rassak, 12,265 (8,724); Semenyih, 16,000 (14,500); Sungei Duran, 28,500 (31,542); Tarun, 5,518; Waterfall, 50,000.

(Crops for Oct., 1919, are given in parentheses.)

M. Albert Thomas, a member of the International Labour Bureau, left Geneva on Wednesday evening for Paris and London.

THE MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed April 15) .... 7 p.c.

Conditions in the Money market have undergone little change. There was a rather heavier turnover in the earlier part of the day, and loans over the night readily commanded 5½ p.c., but the position eased later, and there was rather more surplus at 5 p.c. than was the case on Wednesday. If anything, the tendency in bills was easier, but business was quiet, and no quotable alteration was made in rates.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed April 15, 1920		7%		
60 days (fine)	6¾	6⅞%		
3 months	6¾	6⅞%	Trade	7 7½%
4 months	6¾	6⅞%	,,	7⅛ 7½%
6 months	6¾	6⅞%	,,	7½%
Loans to brokers day-to-day		5	5½%	
for a week			5½%	
Deposit allowance: Banks, at call		5		
Discount houses, at call		5		
at notice		5¼%		

A further fall of 1s. 7d. took place in the price of gold to 117s. 2d. per oz. fine. Spot silver, also forward, were both down ⅝d. to 50⅝d. and 50½d. per oz., respectively.

The exchanges as a rule continued the favourable movement. Particularly was this so in the case of francs and dollars. Paris and Brussels cheque rates both showed falls of about 60 centimes to the £, while New York cables were up to practically 3.50. German marks reacted partially, but the Italian lira continued to recover. The Spanish rate had little alteration on balance. Other European centres were better for sterling, except in the cases of Christiania and Holland.

Paris, 56.75 to 56.85; Brussels, 53.60 to 53.70; Christiania, 25.85 to 25.90; Stockholm, 18.13 to 18.18; Copenhagen, 25.85 to 25.90; Switzerland, 22.25 to 22.30; Amsterdam, 11.44 to 11.46; Italy, 89⅛ to 90⅛; Madrid, 26.70 to 26.80; Finland, 157 to 160; Berlin, 242 to 246; Rio, 11⅛d.; Calcutta, 1s. 7⅛d.; New York cables, 3.49⅛ to 3.50; Montreal, 3.92 to 3.94; B.A., 51⅛d. to 52⅛d.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN.

WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 17, 1920.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued	£140,421,835	Govt. Debt	£11,015,100
		Other Securities	7,434,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	121,971,835
	£140,421,835		£140,421,835

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£14,553,000	Government Securities	£63,786,073
Rest	3,201,019	Other Securities	75,165,989
Public deposits	19,508,652	Notes	12,852,455
Other deposits	116,279,543	Gold & Silver Coin	1,747,489
7-day & other Bills	10,792		
	£153,552,006		£153,552,006

Compared with last week:	Increase. £	Decrease. £
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	—	278,600
Public Deposits	—	307,245
Other Deposits	3,808,915	—
Government Securities	1,085,000	—
Other Securities	1,943,648	—
Bullion	242,436	—
Rest	48,887	—
Reserve	510,030	—

Proportion of Reserve to Liabilities 10¾% against 10⅝% last week.

The following shows the position of the Bank of England now and during the previous two years:—

	1920. £	1919. £	1918. £
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	127,569,380	85,676,315	65,222,965
Public Deposits	19,508,652	23,268,045	29,668,376
Other Deposits	116,279,543	95,323,682	142,672,534
Govt. Securities	63,786,073	34,769,117	61,788,035
Other Securities	75,165,989	80,816,165	99,879,779
Reserve of Notes & Coin	14,599,944	20,738,476	28,397,554
Coin & Bullion	123,719,324	87,964,791	75,170,519
Reserve to Liabilities	10¾%*	17½%	16⅝%
Bank Rate	7%	6%	5%
Consols	44⅞	51	59⅝
Bar Silver	51⅞d.	70½d.	48⅞d.
Clearinghouse Return	683,045,000	691,184,000	411,370,000

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON:—Alliance, 9⅛; Atlas, £15 4/-, 15⅛; Assoc. Reinsurance, 5; British General, 23/-, 2/6; City of London, 4/4⅛, 6d.; Consolidated, 69/-, 7/6; Employers' Liability, 83/9; First National, 14/-, 4½d., 13/9, 14/1½; Greater Britain, 4/1½; Guardian Eastern, 7/6; Liverpool and London (x.d.), 72⅛, ⅛, 1, 2⅛; London Associated, 7/-; Motor Union, 6⅛, ⅛; Phœnix, 8⅛; Royal Exchange, 420, 11; Royal, 17⅛, ⅛; Sea, 77/9⅛, 6/3; United British, 55/-; Western Alliance, 16/-, 15/9, 10½d.; World Auxiliary 16/3, 4½d.

SALES IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance, New, 10⅛, ⅛; Employers' Liability, 4⅛, ⅛; Liverpool, London, and Globe (x.d.), 72; London and Lancashire, 11⅛; North British 4 p.c. Pref., 63⅛; Phœnix, 8⅛; ditto Norwich, 8⅛; ditto 4 p.c. Deb., 66; Royal, 17⅛; Sea, 4.

TRAFFICS.

Canadian Pacifics, 7 days ended November 14th, £1,594,000 increase; Argentine Transandine, £1,725 increase; Leopoldina, £4,778 decrease; Central Uruguay, £3,962 decrease; Eastern Extension, £57 decrease; Northern Extension, £184 decrease; Western Extension, £382 decrease; United of Havana, £690 increase.

THE TRADE OUTLOOK.

The *Manchester Guardian Commercial*, in its weekly survey of trade conditions, says that the condition incidental to a falling market are apparent in virtually every direction, but depression is by no means general. There are mills running full time, even in cotton districts. Shipyards, blast furnaces, and engineering works are quite busy in many centres. The week's analysed trade reports from the paper's correspondents summarise the position as follows:—

Cotton—Raw materials offered at lower prices, buying only for day to day needs, and fear of further depreciation stifles enterprise in the piece goods trade. Yarns spinners hopeful of early revival.

Wool and worsted—No improvement in demand for fully manufactured goods.

Iron and steel—Barrow hematite brisk, but demand for steel quiet. Middlesbro' reports new business in finished iron and steel difficult to arrange. Quotations show downward tendency; foundry iron scarce, no surplus for export; inferior grades plentiful.

Engineering and machinery—New orders scarce in Manchester, but plenty of work on existing contracts. Clyde works busy. Birmingham business drags; foreign competition felt. Sheffield tool trade brisk.

Shipbuilding—Clyde yards well employed. Tyne yards busy; forward orders not up to expectations.

Shoes and leather—Price tendency in hides still downward, buying restricted. Northampton reports home trade almost moribund; foreign small and unprofitable.

Drapery and clothing—Few orders in Manchester, but wholesale houses optimistic; prices reduced substantially, but temporarily. Macclesfield silk trade shows further decline. Denton hat trade prospects gloomy.

Flax, linen, jute—More inquiry for yarns in Belfast make spinners more hopeful, but manufacturers discharging workers through lack of demand. Fifeshire position worst experienced for years. Dundee trade very dull.

Chemicals—Very little business.

PENDING ISSUE.

HADFIELD'S DEBENTURES.

The world-wide reputation of "Hadfields" as manufacturers of steel castings and forgings and other steel products focusses particular attention on this company's present issue of £1,000,000 Debenture Stock. Sound management, combined with a financial policy which has been from its inception an extremely cautious one, has enabled the company to show not only an array of tangible assets which may well make envious less conservatively-managed concerns, but an array of profits over the last eight years, set out year by year, which could only have been achieved during so long a period, not owing to any short or possibly abnormal period of prosperity, but by steady and conservative finance and management and by cautious distributions to shareholders during the long period of the company's history. These assets and these profits will be found fully set out in the prospectus inviting subscriptions to an issue of £1,000,000 of 7½ per cent. First Mortgage Debenture Stock at £98, and of which all will be repaid on or before February 1st, 1931, at 102 per cent. Assuming the company allows the full term to elapse before repayment, the yield works out at £7 18/- per cent. per annum on whatever sum is invested. The company, however, reserves the right to pay off the whole or any part of the Stock at 102 per cent. before the expiration of the full term—which power, if exercised, would result in an even greater yield. The issue has been underwritten by the British Shareholders' Trust, Ltd.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Catalogues comprising 8,388 bales free wool were brought forward last evening. Cape wools sold without quotable change from last sale, greasies meeting rather better competition, whilst swan whites were again neglected. Punta Arenas wool met fair competition, but sold at slightly easier prices from those ruling at the sale on the 11th inst. The Committee of the London Wool Brokers is authorised to announce that the Liverpool auction, fixed for the 20th and 21st December, has been postponed, and will, as at present arranged, take place on Thursday, 6th January, 1921.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

DUBLIN ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Barometer—29.90. Wind and Weather—Strong S.E. wind, dull and overcast, showery.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Arvonia, from Holyhead, with passengers; ss. Cato, from Bristol, with goods; ss. Lady Wicklow, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Olive, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Ettrick, from Silloth, with goods; ss. Rowan, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Carrowdore, from Liverpool, with empties; ss. Neville, from Birkenhead, with flour; ss. Pennant, from Kirkcaldy, with malt; ss. Edith, from Glasgow, with coals; ss. St. Mirren, from Cardiff, with coals; ss. Alyn, from Garston, with coals; ss. Irena, from Point of Aire, with coals; ss. Castlereagh, from Liverpool, with coals.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Arvonia, for Holyhead, with passengers; ss. Lady Emerald, for London, with goods; ss. Lady Tennant, ss. Lady Kerry, for Liverpool, with goods; ss. Pembroke Coast, for Southampton, with goods; ss. Suffolk Coast, for Manchester, with goods; ss. Olive, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Rowan, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Carrowdore, ss. Clareisland, for Manchester, with porter; ss. Miriam Thomas, for Sligo, with wheat; ss. The Viscount, for Llandulas, light; ss. Falconer, for Swansea, light; ss. Malachite, for Ayr, light; ss. Mayflower, for Birkenhead, light.

M. Louis Perrollaz, Deputy for Haute Savoie, died suddenly of heart disease in the lobbies of the Chamber on Wednesday. Deceased had not been well since a recent visit to his son's grave at the front.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

ARREST ON INCOMING DUBLIN STEAMER.—On the arrival yesterday evening of the Laird Line steamer Rowan from Glasgow, a detective of the G Division boarded the vessel, and took into custody one of the crew.

WORLD'S WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.—The annual sale of the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union (Ireland) will be held at 20 Lincoln place, Dublin, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. The White Ribbon opening ceremony will take place at 3 o'clock.

COLLEGE CLASSICAL SOCIETY.—A meeting of the College Classical Society will be held tonight in the Graduates' Memorial Buildings, Trinity College, Dublin, at 8 o'clock, when Mr. K. C. Bailey (Sch.) will read a paper on "The Experimental Sciences in Classical Times." Dr. W. R. Fearon will preside.

"ROOMKEEPERS' SUNDAY."—On Sunday the public of Dublin will be asked to assist the work which is daily accomplished among the poor of the city by the Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Society. Collections in aid of the society's funds will be made in the Roman Catholic churches of the city, and every additional penny contributed at the church doors will help to lessen distress this winter.

CONCERT AT BELGRAVE SQUARE.—An enjoyable concert took place last evening in the presence of an appreciative audience in the Parochial Hall, Belgrave square, Rathmines. The programme was agreeably varied, and each item was received with favour. Amongst the artists whose names figured on the programme were Mrs. A. E. Hughes (contralto), Mrs. Maxwell (cellist), Miss Kathleen Poynton (soprano), the Misses Tisdall (pianists), Mr. A. White (tenor), Mr. J. L. Woods (bass), Mr. G. Richardson (humourist), and Miss Beckerson (accompanist).

MOTOR CAR OVERTURNS.—Mr. Warner Barr, of Aghorigh, Celbridge, received severe bodily injuries, and his chauffeur, Patrick Hegarty, was injured in the spine, yesterday when the car in which they were riding through Phœnix Park to the Curragh races skidded and overturned. Near the Phœnix monument the accident occurred, both men being thrown out. The car caught fire and was much damaged before the blaze was extinguished. Mr. Barr is now in the private nursing home at 64 Lower Mount street in charge of the Sisters of Bon Secours, and the chauffeur is in a serious, though not critical, condition in Steevens' Hospital.

ZENANA BIBLE AND MEDICAL MISSION.—A sale of various articles representing home industries was held yesterday in Gregg Hall, Dublin, in aid of the funds for carrying on the above mission in Benares, where the representative of County Dublin, Miss Wade Thompson, is working in conjunction with Miss Johnson Smyth. A new school for native children is sorely needed at Benares, and an effort is being made to supply this want. Owing to the rate of exchange being so high English money has lost fully half its value in India. The friends of the mission will, it is hoped, increase their donations and subscriptions so as to enable it to carry on its useful work free from financial embarrassment. To educate the native children is an important part of the work of the mission, and contributions for the erection of the proposed new school are earnestly requested. There are at present five hospitals in charge of lady doctors doing an excellent work in connection with the mission.

THE GREGGALA BAZAAR.—A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Church of Ireland Y.M.C.A. was held on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Rev. R. Sanderson Griffin presided. Also present—Rev. J. H. Alcock, Rev. J. C. Dunham, and Rev. E. C. Hodges, Messrs. Oscar Love, William Craven, E. F. Meredith, William Clements, J. C. Egar, W. H. Ledbetter, and the General Secretary. A report was received from the Greggala Bazaar Committee, which was accompanied by a cheque for £205, as a result of the successful organisation of the Rev. E. C. Hodges and Mr. E. F. Meredith. The Committee heartily thank all those helpers not directly connected with the Association. Among those were the ladies of St. Ann's Parish, members of the Boys' Brigade (Dublin Battalion), and the Rev. E. H. F. Campbell, who provided the musical programmes. The Badminton Stall alone contributed £75 as proceeds of their stall. A vote of condolence was passed to the family of the late Sir Algernon Coote, who was for many years a vice-president of the Association.

MILITARY AND RICHMOND ASYLUM GROUNDS.

At a meeting of the Joint Committee of Management of Richmond Asylum yesterday afternoon—Mrs. Wyse Power, Chairman, presiding—the Medical Superintendent in his report stated that through the intervention of the Lord Lieutenant the military were not to make any further use of the recreation grounds, and that the privacy of the asylum grounds had been restored.

Mr. P. T. Daly—The military took the land by "French leave," and we are now getting it back by "French leave." (Laughter.)

BATTERSBY AND CO.'S SALE.

There was a crowded attendance at Messrs. Battersby and Co. Salerooms yesterday, when several interesting lots of house property were submitted, and changed hands at very satisfactory prices. 34 Victoria street, South Circular road, realised £650; 23 Oakley road, £1,025; 26 Lansdowne road, £1,775; 14 and 22 Connaught street, Phibsborough, £740; Rossmoyne, Clontarf, £1,500; purchaser paying commission in each case. The following solicitors were interested:—Messrs. Ryan and O'Brien, J. T. Doyle, F. G. Sharp, Samuel Kerr, D. and T. Fitzgerald, T. J. Farley, F. J. M. Lyons, N. W. Davis, O'Neill and Collins, C. P. Matthews, J. L. Burke, Francis Clinch, and W. C. Meeke.

DUBLIN HOSPITAL SUNDAY FUND

	£	s.	d.
St. Saviour's Church, Arklow	£16	0	0
Ardnurcher and Kilbeggan Church	3	12	0
St. MacCullin's Church, Lusk	19	0	0
Kenure Church, Rush	1	11	7
Swords and Kilsallaghan Church	33	0	0
Christ Church, Celbridge	33	0	0
Female Orphan House	7	0	0
HolmPatrick Church	23	0	0
Dalkey Parish Church	30	0	0
Ballivoe, Co. Meath	5	0	0
Dunlavin Church	21	1	8
Kilternan Church	11	17	7
Dolphin's Barn Methodist Church	4	4	0
Inchicore Methodist Church	2	2	0
Edenderry Friends' Meeting	10	10	0

H.M.S. Temeraire, with Prince George on board, arrived at Lisbon on Wednesday.

Our portrait is of Mr. W. G. Hoare, of Kingsley avenue, Daventry, Northants, who writes:—

"I had one of the most severe attacks of eczema on the face that any man, I should think, ever saw, my face being one mass of sores from ear to ear. I was under medical treatment for some time, and, getting no better, began to be downhearted, when a friend persuaded me to try 'Clarke's Blood Mixture.' I found myself getting better before I had finished the first bottle, so I continued with it until I had taken six bottles. I should have written before, but I wanted to be sure it was a permanent cure first. It is now some years since I was cured, and I have never had the slightest signs of any return."

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N.B.—This Sale is worth the inspection of intending purchasers.

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WE have been instructed by the Owner to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Lands as above, the following VALUABLE STOCK, comprising 3 BLACK POLLY COWS (in calf), 1 RED COW (in calf), 9 YEARLING CALVES, 12 HEAD OF PRIZE POULTRY (R.I.R. and WYANDOTTES); Water Carrier, on wheels; 2 Lawn Mowers, Grinding Stone, 2 large Iron Baths, Avery Weighing Machine, 8 DRILLS OF MANGOLDS, Flower Pots, Bench, Sashes, Hockey Net, Double Cylinder Roller, 26"; Water Barrel, 12' Ladder, 40 Sacks, Heap of Manure, Chicken Coops, Foster Mother, Pulper, Border Tiles, Field Drain Pipes, and numerous other lots.

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ROLL OF HONOUR.

SEARIGHT—On Armistice Day, 1920, at Basrah, Mesopotamia, from accidental injuries, Gerald Graves, Lieutenant, Royal Dublin Fusiliers (attached R.E.), the dearly-beloved and loving eldest son of Rev. Fred. S. Searight, Wandsworth Common, and grandson of the late G. E. Searight, Springfield, Shankill, aged 31 years.

IN MEMORIAM.

CARROLL—In proud and loving memory of Fred. S. Carroll, Second Lieutenant, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, killed in action 21st November, 1918, while trying to relieve some men who were isolated, youngest son of James Carroll, Termonfeckin, Drogheda, late of Kells. "I thank my God for every remembrance of you."

COOKE—In loving memory of Thomas Henry, 10th (Pals) Battalion Royal Dublin Fusiliers, killed in the battle of Cambrai, November 20, 1917.
Do not ask me if I miss him,
There is such a vacant place;
Can I ever forget his loving voice
And his dear familiar face?—Mother.

GRAHAM—In proud and loving memory of Roy Graham, R.D.F., killed in France 20th November, 1917.
When at last we shall attain
The Heavenly place,
Be his dear face the first to greet us
In Thy grace, and bid us
Welcome Home.
Mother.

GRIFFITH—In loving memory of my dear husband, Sergeant Daniel Griffith, 9th Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers (Ulster Division), killed in action 20th November, 1917. "In God's own keeping."

MacDANIEL—In loving memory of Francis George Vernon, Lieutenant, Royal Munster Fusiliers, killed, leading his platoon down the Hindenburg Tunnel, near Bullecourt, 20th November, 1917; and of his grandfather, I. MacDaniel, Commander, R.N., who, when ashore from the Fleet, and in the advanced guard at Bladensburg, 22nd August, 1814, was severely wounded, and, his wounds notwithstanding, was present, two days later, at the capture and burning of Washington. He died 5th August, 1871.

TOSDEVIN—In loving memory of my devoted husband, William Cecil, Second Lieutenant, 7th Northamptonshire Regiment, killed in action, November 20th, 1917. "Who through duty's path reached a life beyond the life he lost, and to whom death was but promotion."

BIRTHS.

BARRY-POWELL—November 18, 1920, at 21 Raeburn st., Elizabeth, wife of S. D. Powell, M.A., of a daughter.

DOBSON—November 16, 1920, in a Private Nursing Home, Belfast, the wife of Captain J. J. Dobson, a son.

HICKEY—November 13, 1920, at Stonebrook Cottage, Ballymore-Eustace, to Major and Mrs. Jeremy Hickey, a daughter.

MacAULIFFE—November 17, 1920, at the Medical Hall, Strokestown, Co. Roscommon, to Mr. and Mrs. W. MacAuliffe, a daughter.

TAYLOR—November 17, 1920, at the Forge, 61 Francis st., the wife of John Alexander Taylor, late 4th Hussars, a son.

MARRIAGES.

ACHESON and RENNOLDSON—November 17, 1920, at St. Paul's, South Shields, by Rev. W. Williams, Malcolm K. Acheson, M.C., M.D., son of the late David Acheson, J.P., Castlecaulfield, and Mrs. Acheson, 52 Ulsterville av., Belfast, to Dorothy J. Rennoldson, daughter of the late Joseph M. and Helen F. Rennoldson, of Fairfield, Westoe, South Shields.

OZANNE and OSBORNE—November [illegible], 1920, at Holy Trinity Church, [illegible], Meath, assisted by the Rev. G. E. Fry, Rector of [illegible], by the Rev. C. E. White, Captain William Maingay Ozanne, M.C., the Duke of Wellington's Regiment, younger son of the late E. C. Ozanne, C.S., C.B.I., The Red Cottage, Guernsey, and Dorothy Margaret, only daughter of F. Douglas Osborne, Resnarre, Slane, Co. Meath.

DEATHS.

BARRY—November 18, 1920, at Park House, Kanturk, Co. Cork, William Francis Sheehy Barry, J.P., eldest son of the late Gerald P. Barry, M.D. High Mass on Monday morning at Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kanturk. Interment in local cemetery immediately afterwards.

BARRY—November 16, 1920, at Southborough, Kent, A. G. Anne Barry (late of Ambervale, Buxton, Derbyshire), widow of Surgeon-Major D. Paterson Barry, and daughter of the late Dr. Stephen Lanigan, Royal Navy, of Cork, and mother of Mrs A. P. Weinberger, of 17 Oakley rd., Dublin.

BLENNERHASSETT—November 15, 1920, at [illegible], Tralee, aged 95 years. Australian and New Zealand papers please copy.

CLARK—Alexander Clark, 52 Richmond rd., Dublin, aged 77 years. "Thy will be done." Interred at Mount Jerome yesterday (Friday), 12th November, 1920.

DICK—At his residence, Brisite, Inchicore rd., William Dick, late of Phoenix Park, aged 91 years. Funeral (private) to Castleknock Cemetery. No flowers.

EAMES—November 17, 1920, at the residence of his brother-in-law (H. Woodcock, Esq., The Elms, Wigan), the Rev. John Gough Eames, B.A., T.C.D., late Rector of Whaddon, Cambridge, and Foxford, Co. Mayo. "For ever with the Lord."

EVERARD—November 18, 1920, at Baggot st. Hospital, Francis (Frank), 112 Lower Baggot st., eldest son of the late William Everard. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Andrew's, Westland Row, this (Saturday) morning, 8.45, to Glasnevin Cemetery.

GAVIN—November 18, 1920, at his residence, 458 N.C.R., Dublin, Thomas Gavin, aged 82 years. R.I.P. Mother of Mount Carmel, pray for him. Funeral will take place from Carmelite Church, Whitefriar st., this (Saturday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass.

HARFORD—November 18, 1920, at her residence, the Hotel, Moate, Bridget Harford. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Saturday), 2 p.m., to Horseleap.

JOHNSTON—November 19, 1920, in hospital, following an operation, "Minnie," the dear, beloved wife of William H. Johnston, of 17 Brighton Gardens, Terenure, Co. Dublin. Funeral private.

MOLONY—November 18, 1920, at Kingstown, Mary Frances Molony, only surviving daughter of the late George A. Molony, Resident Magistrate. Funeral, at 10 a.m., to-day (Saturday) to Kilternan Church.

MURRAY—November 19, 1920, at his residence, 5 Princess Gardens, Belfast, Henry Buchanan Murray, M.D., second son of the late Henry Murray, M.D., of College Square, Belfast. Funeral to City Cemetery, Belfast, Monday, 22nd, at 11.30.

SHAW—November 19, 1920, at his residence, 16 Fitzwilliam ter., Rathmines, John Shaw, in his 64th year. Funeral, Friends' Burial Ground, Temple Hill, Monday morning, to arrive 10.30 o'clock.

MASS.

Mass was offered up on Friday at the Holy Family Church, Aughrim st., by request of the R.C. men's wives in Dublin, for the repose of the souls of the policemen killed recently in Ireland.
"Gone, but not forgotten."
"May they rest in peace."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. O'Neill and family, 24 York rd., Rathgar, desire to return their sincere thanks to the clergy and their many kind friends who sent letters, telegrams, and messages of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rafter and family wish to return their sincere thanks to the many friends who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy to them in their recent sad bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

EAGER—Ninth Anniversary—In ever-loving memory of Annie Elizabeth, twin daughter of Thomas E. and Annie Eager, S.C. rd.

FAWCETT—In loving memory of Edward Fawcett, M.D., who died suddenly at his residence, High Park, Roscrea, November 20th, 1919.—K. R. B. and B. F.

HILL—In fond and ever-loving memory of our dear father (Robert), who fell asleep November 20th, 1915, at Montreal, Canada.
Some day, some time, our eyes shall see
The face we hold in memory.

SHUMMACHER—In loving memory of Jacob Shummacher, late 46 Fairview Strand, Dublin, who entered into rest the 20th November, 1919. "The righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance."

November 21, 1918.—"Eily."
"They pass beyond our touch, beyond our sight,
Never, thank God, beyond our love and prayers."

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